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CONSERVATORY OF MUSIC AND NORMAL TO COMBINE.

TO BEGIN NEXT TERM

Grade Music Will Be Taught at Normal and Private Lessons at the Conservatory.

Beginning with the next term, the Maryville Conservatory of Music will be affiliated with the Normal school, and all credits received at the Conservatory will be accepted at the Normal, and all credits given at the Normal will be accepted at the Conservatory. An especially strong course in preparing students in the supervision of public school music will be given at the Conservatory, and a special supervisor's course will also be given, which will give a life certificate to teach in the state.

The Conservatory will remain in its present location and will maintain the same teachers. The grade music will be taught at the Normal and the private lessons at the Conservatory.

The baccalaureate sermon to the graduating class of the Conservatory will be held Sunday afternoon in the Normal auditorium to be delivered by Rev. Gilbert S. Cox. These services are also for the graduating class of the Normal school.

The Conservatory will hold their commencement exercises at the First M. E. church on Thursday night, May 28th. A fine program has been arranged and there are eight graduates in the class. They are Lida Ambrose, Margaret Bolin, Virdah Daniels, Hazel Everhart, Lucy Gee, Lois Harrison, Martha Koch and S. F. Spainhower.

The following is the program: Quartet, two pianos, overture, Barber of Seville, by Rossini—Misses Everhart, Koch, Daniels and Mr. Spainhower.

Duo, Concerto in D, Haydn—Misses Ambrose and Bolin.

Solo, Waltz in A flat, Moszkowsky—Mr. Spainhower.

Songs, Land of the Sky Blue Water, Cadman; Will o' the Wisp, Spross—Miss Marie A. Jones.

Duet, overture, Romeo and Juliette, Bellini—Misses Harrison and Gee.

Solo, Liebestraum in A flat, Liszt—Miss Everhart.

Duo, Finale from Concerto in C, Weber—Misses Koch and Daniels.

Songs, My Heart is Singing, San Souci; An Open Secret, Woodman—Miss Jones.

Quartet, two pianos, First Movement from Fifth Symphony, Beethoven—Misses Harrison, Gee, Ambrose and Bolin.

Post-graduate individual recitals will be given in the recital hall by Misses Grace Danner of Blanchard, Ia.; Fay Bishop, Ravenwood; Marie Reuilland, Maryville; Ora LeGrand, Clearmont, and Wilma Mills, Matland. Miss Danner will give her recital on June 2nd, and the others will be given later. All are graduates of the Conservatory, with the exception of Miss Mills, who is a graduate of William Woods college of Fulton, Mo.

An Old Deed Recorded.

While Harvey Laughlin was attending school at Maryville he discovered that a piece of land owned by his father since 1869, had been recorded in 1870, as being owned by A. C. "McLaughlin." Just to make matters right and clear, "Squire Laughlin had the same deed recorded, and this time with the "Mc" left off, as it was really written in the instrument, the error being made in 1870 by transcribing to the records.—Gulfport Times.

A. Walk, who has been sick for several days, is reported in a serious condition.

GOOD PRICE FOR YEARLINGS.

J. A. Gex Markets Mixed Steers and Heifers at \$8.55 a Hundred.

John A. Gex, who owns a well improved farm in Nodaway county, was on the market today with forty-eight head of yearling steer and heifers of his own feeding that sold well. They averaged 787 pounds and sold at \$8.55.—St. Joseph Stock Journal.

WILL CHANGE LINE-UP.

Normal Team Meets Conception College Saturday Afternoon.

The Normal base ball team will play the Conception college team Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the Normal athletic field. The Normal will be greatly altered tomorrow, and it is thought that the new combination will strengthen the team. The line-up is as follows: McKee, catcher; Dyer, first base; Miller, second base; Bird, shortstop; Adams, third base; Noblett, left field; Brittain, center field; Long, right field; Ham, pitcher. This is the second game of the season with the Conception college team, the Normal winning the first one by a score of 7 to 0.

PREPARING INFESTED FIELDS.

For Corn, and What Prof. Cameron Has to Say On the Subject.

Prof. John E. Cameron, in charge of soil field No. 25 of the University of Missouri in co-operation with the Normal school, has this to say about preparing the infested wheat fields for corn:

"It would be better to put half the area in corn and raise a full crop than to put all in corn and raise but half a crop. The wrong and the right way to prepare the ground for corn:

"The wrong way is to plow under the wheat, harrow the ground and plant the corn.

"The right way is to pulverize the ground by disking before plowing, then the wheat is chopped, the crust is broken and when the furrow is turned the fine soil comes in contact with the bottom of the furrow, which enables the soil water to pass up to the surface, should the weather continue dry. After plowing disk again, harrow and plant with the furrow openers on the planter.

"Why all this extra work; you may ask. Turn under a mass of green matter that will not decay for several months and should the weather continue dry the corn when planted will fail to germinate. If rains come the corn will grow, but the small roots on reaching the coarse material at the bottom of the furrow will fail to come in contact with fine loose soil from which it should get its supply of moisture and mineral matter, and the result is a drawed plant.

"It would be economy in the end if the wheat crop has failed to plant only one-half as much corn and get fifty bushels per acre than to put the ground all in corn and raise only twenty-five bushels. Remember, it will take just as long to plow the corn after planting, and the cost of the crop will be just as great whether twenty-five or fifty bushels are raised, besides one-half of the land may produce a half crop of wheat or be left to put into some other paying crop. Plant all to corn, half preparing the soil and tending it, and it is bound to be a losing proposition."

Married by Judge Conn.

Burrell M. Pinckley and Elizabeth M. Wilson of Elmo were married today by Probate Judge W. H. Conn.

DELANO'S BAND IS 100 YEARS OLD

FORMERLY THE CHICAGO MARINE BAND—AT CHAUTAUQUA.

WEDNESDAY AUGUST 19

An "Out-of-the-Ordinary" Musical Attraction—Feature Number, "A Day On a Man-o-War."

Delano's band, with Edward Jewett Delano as director, will appear at the Maryville Chautauqua on Wednesday, August 19th. This is one of the best musical organizations now touring the country. It was formerly the Chicago Marine band, familiarly known as "Delano's Bluejackets."

In August, 1905, Edward Jewett Delano was invited to come to Chicago to reorganize the band of the naval reserve stationed there. This band had, at one time, under the leadership of Thomas Preston Broowe, won considerable prestige, but since the resignation of that eminent musician, had retrograded under various incompetent bandmasters, and was finally mustered into service. Mr. Delano reorganized this band most successfully so that, in a remarkably short time it not only won back its lost prestige but gained new laurels.

For this work he was signally honored by being made a commissioned officer with the rank of ensign. With the exception of the leader of the Washington Marine band he is the only bandmaster in any branch of the United States service who has ever been honored with a commission.

Ensign Delano served on the training ship Dorothea and on the U. S. S. Nashville for six years, and in this time filled many important engagements in addition to his regular duty. His term as bandmaster may be called the high water mark of the musical affairs of the Illinois naval reserve.

In September Mr. Delano resigned from the national reserve, taking with him his entire band, with the purpose of devoting himself entirely to concert work.

In addition to the best of concert music he gives a most interesting and unique portrayal of naval life set to music, which embraces bugle calls, drills, flag signal work, and many other features of life aboard a warship. The above are embraced in his composition "A Day on a Man-o-War," a feature number that takes forty-five minutes to perform, and holds an audience spellbound until the end of the grand finale, which is a variation on the "Star Spangled Banner," played to the thrilling accompaniment of volleys.

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DELANO'S BAND.

ISAAC PRICE OF BARNARD CELEBRATING THE OCCASION.

HERE 43 YEARS AGO

And Has Always Lived On the Same Farm—Cast His First Vote for Andrew Jackson for President.

Isaac Price, living two and a half miles southwest of Barnard, with his son, John Price, is celebrating his hundredth birthday anniversary today. The occasion was one of joy and a basket dinner in his honor was given by the Barnard Methodist church.

Mr. Price has lived on the farm near Barnard for forty-three years. Mr. Price was born May 22, 1814, on Middle Island, Jughandle Mills, near Middlebourne, Tyler county, West Virginia. He is descended from Welsh parentage of New Jersey stock, who were long-lived people. His father, who died in March, would have been ninety years old in June. At 3 years of age, with his parents he moved to Maryetta, Washington county, O., where he spent his childhood and youth, growing into a strong young manhood.

When 17 years old he went to live at Fallston, on Big Beaver river, near Pittsburg, Pa., where, as a helper in a shop, he learned the blacksmith trade, which occupation he followed until the spring of 1871, when he retired from active business life. Here he was married to Miss Prudence Gordon, to whom were born four children, none of whom are living. Western Pennsylvania and Ohio were then not much more than a wilderness. The mode of travel was by slow stages on foot, on horseback, by wagon, over the trails and unkept roads, or by water on the river. A man and his family could live on the game brought down by his trusty rifle or ensnared in traps of his own device. Pittsburg was but a small city, the great steel industry for which she is world famous yet undeveloped, the great wealth of forest, mine, oil and gas, with all their kindred industries were yet waiting the master hand of a Carnegie and a Rockefeller. The oil was gathered from the waters of little streams and pools where it was floating, and vended to unsuspecting, suffering humankind as a specific for rheumatism and cure for other diseases. After fifteen years he returned to his childhood home in Maryetta, O., where he resided about ten years, working at his trade.

At 42 years of age he moved to Owen county, about fifty miles from Indian-

apolis, Ind., where, his first wife having died, he was married to Miss Mary Ann Linn, to which union were born eight children. In this place he resided about fifteen years, when, with his family, he moved to the pleasant farm home in Nodaway county, Mo., two and a half miles southwest of Barnard, where he now resides with his son, John Price, the oldest child of his second wife, and the only survivor of the family of twelve children. Mrs. Price died April 11, 1904.

Mr. Price identified himself with the Democratic party in young manhood, casting his first ballot for Andrew Jackson in his second campaign for and election to the presidency. Although he has cast his ballot for each Democratic candidate from Jackson to the present administration, he has never seen a president. He is a man of splendid parts, having a remarkable memory of events of other years, and keeps himself well informed on current events by constant and wide reading. He is intelligent, wideawake and thoroughly interested in all the new and up-to-date methods of doing things. He may be seen on these bright spring days walking about the home grounds, sitting in the lawn swing or riding out with his son in their new automobile. His health is better this year than in many years previous. He looks strong and hale enough to live another decade. His friends join in wishing he may even do so.

Mr. Price is a Methodist, a splendid Christian gentleman. His kindly, gentle, sweet manner wins the respect and friendship of all whom he meets. Beginning at an early age, by honesty, frugality and industry, he has made his way through life, not even so much as the value of the paper upon which this is written given as an assistance. Just such citizens as he have made this the glorious country it is. May we always have them, for men of this type are the strength of the nation today, and the hope for the future. Only by such men as he can we perpetuate this government, a free and independent nation.

Here are our hands to you, our friend of a hundred summers and winters, and with all our hearts we greet you with best wishes and God bless you.

AT NORMAL ASSEMBLY.

Talks Made to Students by Rev. C. A. Finch of Topeka, Kan., J. H. Banks and S. H. Kemp.

Rev. C. A. Finch, pastor of the First Christian church of Topeka, Kan.; J. H. Banks, state secretary of the Y. M. C. A., and S. H. Kemp made talks at the Normal school assembly this morning. All of the ministers of the city were also in attendance. Mr. Banks spoke of the Y. M. C. A. work in the state and gave a short history of it.

TRAINING SCHOOL TRACK MEET.

An Interesting Contest at the Normal School Track—Seventy-Five Entries.

The track meet of the training school of the Normal was held Thursday afternoon at the Normal track and the events given were very interesting and greatly enjoyed by a large audience. There were seventy-five entries, and the meet was in charge of L. M. Eck, Orlo Quinn, Lester Painter and Leo Kuhner. Some of the best records made were in the girls' base ball throw, 98 feet 5 inches; running high jump, 4 feet 3 inches; running broad jump, 14 feet 4 inches; pole vault, 7 feet 3 inches. The events given were: 100 yd. dash; 200 yd. dash, boys of 7th and 8th grades; 50-yard dash for girls of 4th and 5th grades; running high jump for boys of the 4th, 5th and 6th grades; running high jump for boys of 7th and 8th grades; sack race for boys of 2d and 3rd grades; base ball throw for girls of 4th, 5th and 6th grades; base ball throw for girls of 7th and 8th grades; relay race for boys and girls of 2d, 3rd and 4th grades; running broad jump for boys of 4th, 5th and 6th grades; running broad jump for boys of 7th and 8th grades; 50-yard dash for girls of 4th, 5th and 6th grades; volley ball; skipping race; potato race; pole vault.

FOR A Y. M. C. A.

STATE SECRETARY BANKS IN CONFERENCE WITH COMMITTEE.

MANY HAVE AGREED

To Join the Association and Committee Now Working to Secure at Least 300.

It now looks as though a Y. M. C. A. is assured for Maryville. J. H. Banks, state secretary of the Y. M. C. A., came to Maryville Friday morning and at noon today was entertained at luncheon at the Elks club by the executive committee who are in charge of such an organization for this city. The members of the committee are S. H. Kemp, chairman; G. B. Roseberry, Roy Curfman, Floyd Brown, W. M. Westbrook, with W. R. Jackson as secretary. The Masonic committee was also at the conference. The members are J. F. Montgomery, Mayor U. S. Wright, C. C. Helmers and J. E. Bailey.

At the conference the feasibility of such an organization here was talked of and the plans were discussed. It met with the approval of Mr. Banks, and the state association will lend what assistance they can for such an association here.

Petitions were being circulated Friday by several to secure signers who are willing to become members of a Y. M. C. A.

These signers agree to pay \$12 a year as dues for a term of ten years, payment to be made quarterly, beginning with the completion of the building. The organization shall be incorporated and they shall use the first floor and basement of the new Masonic building, which is to be completed not later than June 1, 1915. The lease to the Y. M. C. A. will be for a period of ten years. The association will equip and maintain a gymnasium and swimming pool, reading rooms, all of which will be in charge of a paid secretary. The dues for members over 21 years will be \$12 a year. The committee is trying to secure 300 members that will pay that amount. Mr. Banks will speak at the meeting of the brotherhood to be held at the Christian church this evening. It is expected that he will talk along Y. M. C. A. lines. Rev. Charles A. Finch of Topeka, a brother of Rev. Robert L. Finch, pastor of the Christian church, will talk on the subject "The Measure of a Man."

MEMORIAL SERVICES SUNDAY.

Will Be Held at First Baptist Church at 3 o'clock and Sermon by Rev. L. M. Hale.

Memorial services will be held Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the First Baptist church and the Memorial sermon will be given by the pastor, Rev. L. M. Hale. The members of Sedgwick post, G. A. R., will attend in a body and are requested to meet in their lodge hall at 2:30 o'clock and march to the church.

CONN A CANDIDATE AGAIN.

Emphas His Declaration for Probate Judge on the Republican Ticket. Judge W. H. Conn, who has been probate judge for the past two terms, or eight years, has filed his declaration for that office again, subject to the action of the Republican primary, August 4.

For Rent.

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THE WEATHER

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TONIGHT

BASE BALL

CONCEPTION COLLEGE

vs.
STATE NORMAL SCHOOL

Saturday, May 23 at 2.30 p. m.
ADMISSION 25C CHILDREN 10C

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We are authorized to announce
WILLIAM G. SAWYERS
as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Prosecuting Attorney, subject to the primary election August 4, 1914.

For Circuit Clerk.
We are authorized to announce
L. P. COLVIN
as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Circuit Clerk, subject to the primary election August 4, 1914.

Call for Progressive Party Conference
By order of the County Central Committee of Nodaway County, Missouri, there will be a Conference of the members of the Progressive Party in this county at the court house in Maryville Saturday, May 23, 1914, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

The principal order of business at this meeting will be the arrangement for putting out a full county ticket this fall. Any other matter for the good of the party will be in order.
Hon. Raymond G. Barrett, of Kansas City, will be present and will deliver an address, and we assure you that he is an able speaker, and one of the coming young men of our party.
All Nodaway county Progressives are earnestly requested to attend this meeting without fail.

Done this 16th day of May, 1914.
J. H. SEWELL,
Chairman County Central Committee.
E. P. ROBINSON,
Secretary.

ABOUT PRINCIPAL UTTER.

Trenton Paper Says He Has Proven One of the Strongest Teachers Ever Presided Over That School.

The following is from the Trenton Republican in regard to E. R. Utter, who has been selected as principal of the Maryville high school:

Mr. E. R. Utter, principal of the Trenton high school, today received word of his election to the office of principal of the high school at Maryville. The new position carries with it a salary of \$1,200 per year, and gives him charge of what is considered one of the best high schools in the northwest part of the state. Mr. Utter has not decided definitely whether or not he will accept, although it is altogether likely he will.

Mr. Utter has served two years as principal of the local high school, coming here from Drake university, where he graduated with high honors. During his service here he has proven one of the strongest principals that ever presided over the Trenton high school. The unanimous esteem in which he was held by the students was evidenced some time ago when petitions signed by practically the entire student body were submitted to the school board asking that he be chosen as superintendent. The board considered the petitions and three of the body, Messrs. Witten, Gibson and Proctor, were in favor of electing him. The others, however, opposed him, choosing rather to rename him as principal. Although Mr. Utter made no formal application for the superintendency here, he had delayed acceptance of any other offers, pending a decision by the Trenton board of education. However, he now feels that he should wait no longer and declares he is favorably considering accepting the Maryville position.

Card of Thanks.

We desire to extend our thanks to our friends, members of Sedgwick legion, and Mr. A. C. Gann, who so kindly assisted us at the burial of our husband and father, F. M. Cooper.
MRS. F. M. COOPER.
JOHN I. COOPER.
MRS. FRANKIE GUTELIUS.
MRS. GILAS ROSS.
ROLAND COOPER.
V. L. COOPER.

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of musketry. During this number the listener is to assume that a United States fleet has been caught by surprise in its own harbor, and that plans to dash out and give battle to the enemy have been perfected. Morning breaks—the seamen are kept at their usual routine until the appointed time, when suddenly decks are cleared, anchors are weighed, and the order "Full steam ahead" is given. A short but terrific engagement results in the complete rout, capture or destruction of the enemy, amid rejoicing on the American vessels.

The production when presented in the evening opens with the band silent on the darkened stage. Ardois signals (red and white lights) are flashing the cipher message "Prepare to attack at noon." The stage lights are gradually turned on and the band creeps softly into a morning scene, and so on until the battle is over.

The band also carries several vocal soloists with it, and promises Maryville Chautauqua goes one of the best musical treats which they have ever had the pleasure of listening to in years.

DEATH OF OTHO CLYMENS.

Young Man Passed Away Shortly After He Arrived Home—Had Been in Ill Health Some Time.

Otho Clymens, 18 years old, and a son of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Clymens, living west of Hopkins, died at his home Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock. He had been in ill health since last August and his death was due to tuberculosis.

Mr. Clymens had been taking treatment in Maryville for the past five weeks and was taken to his home, near Hopkins, Thursday afternoon, death occurring about ten minutes after he arrived home. His sister, Miss Clara Clymens, is a member of the graduating class of the Normal school, which will graduate next week.

The young man is survived by three brothers and three sisters, Bruce, Ernest and Joe, and Mrs. Cecil Proctor, Clara and Ruth Clymens, all of Hopkins. Funeral services will be held Saturday morning at 10 o'clock at the home, and burial will take place at Hopkins cemetery. The services will be conducted by Rev. McNamee of Hopkins.

Care Of Young Chicks.

Studies at the Missouri Agricultural Experiment Station warrant the following recommendations in regard to the care and feeding of young chicks:

During the first two days of the chick's life it should rest and be kept warm. It is better without having food until it is forty-eight hours old. Then the following mixture should be fed in dry litter and also in a shallow tray: 3 parts finely cracked wheat, 3 parts finely cracked corn, 1 part steel cut oats. Keep some of this in the litter all the time.

Chicks should have access to a clean drinking fountain which should be so constructed that they cannot get themselves wet. It is also desirable to give them access to sour skimmed milk or buttermilk. Twice daily the chicks should receive rolled oats or the following mixture: 3 parts bread crumbs, 3 parts corn bread, 1 part boiled egg. This mixture may be fed dry or it may be moistened with sour milk. A very small amount of charcoal and finely cut green food should also be fed.

Continue the mixture of wheat, corn and oats until the chicks are four weeks old changing gradually from the finer to more coarsely ground feed. Keep the following mixture in a box where chicks may run to it at all times: 30 parts wheat, 30 parts corn meal, 30 parts wheat middlings, 10 parts beef scrap, sifted fine and 1 part bone meal.

Keep fine charcoal and grit where chicks may have free access to it. Feed 4 times daily. Continue the green feed and give the chicks milk. It may be advisable to feed a wet mash once a day at 4 p. m. Feed only what the chicks will eat up clean before going to roost. Change gradually from chick food to cracked corn and wheat. Chickens that are not yarded should be fed corn and wheat in litter as a scratch food and should also have access to a dry mash in a hopper where they can help themselves.

THE REMAINDER of my household goods, including many useful articles, for sale at your own price. See them and make offer. Also want to lease house. E. S. Cook, 222 E. Sixth, 22-23

The rural commencement of Monroe township will be given in the opera house at Skidmore, Thursday, May 28, 1914. Special music by Maryville orchestra. Admission 10c.

Among Nodaway county patrons of Thursday's market were M. B. Sherlock, J. B. Nunnally, J. S. Hepburn, Howard Wolverton, Rascoe & Eaton, and Buck & Son.—St. Joseph Stock Journal.

News of Society and Women's Clubs

Sigma Delta Chi Sorority.

Mrs. Bruce Montgomery, Miss Phyllis Saylor and Miss Nell Hudson will entertain the Sigma Delta Chi sorority at the home of Mrs. Montgomery Saturday evening.

One O'Clock Luncheon.

Mrs. Frank Ridgeway of Chanute, Kan., and Mrs. C. M. Chilton of St. Joseph were the guests of honor at a 1 o'clock luncheon which Mrs. J. R. Brink gave Friday at her home, 317 East Sixth street. The other guests were Mrs. J. B. Robinson, Mrs. W. C. Frank, Miss Lela Chilton, Miss Margaret Chilton and Miss Marie Brink.

The L. L. Club.

The L. L. club met at the home of Mrs. C. M. Pope, May 14, and the subject "The Legal Rights of Wives" were discussed. Roll call was answered with current events. After a short business session, several piano numbers were given by Miss Jennie Ringgold, which was followed by the serving of refreshments by the hostess. There were two visitors, Mrs. Ed Schooles and Mrs. Ernest Ingalls and children. The next meeting will be with Mrs. S. Florea, May 28.

To Give Rummage Sale.

A business meeting of the Ladies' Aid society of the First M. E. church was held Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Cooper Gooden. Mrs. J. C. Archer presided, and arrangements were made for the rummage sale which will be given next Thursday in the basement of the First M. E. church. The society also discussed plans for the annual bazaar next November. A social hour followed when refreshments were served by the hostesses, Mrs. Gooden, Mrs. J. L. Loran and Mrs. I. W. Nixon, assisted by Mrs. Anna Stauble.

Entertained at Luncheon.

The seventh and eighth grade girls of the training school entertained with a yellow, green and white luncheon Friday in the domestic science lunch room of the Normal school. The guests were Mrs. A. R. Perrin, Miss Beatrix Winn, Miss Arlie Hulet, Miss Minnie Kennedy, Miss Verlinda Eichmiller and Miss Myrtle McPherrin. The following excellent menu was served: Mint Cup, Green Peas on Toast, Banana Salad, Cheese Straws, Marshmallow Dessert, Bonbons.

M. M. M. Club.

The fortnightly meeting of the M. M. M. club was held Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. C. Farrar. Names of noted men was the roll call response. A paper was read by Mrs. C. J. Eckert on "Music in the Home," which was followed by a select reading by Mrs. M. D. Kemp. Mrs. Edward Egley and Mrs. W. O. Garrett read papers on "The G. A. R." The members present were Mrs. W. T. Ramsey, Mrs. Eckert, Mrs. Kemp, Mrs. Egley and Mrs. George Stafford, and Mrs. R. S. Branigan, Mrs. R. C. Seal, Mrs. J. D. Ford, Mrs. L. D. Young and Miss Mildred Young of Quitman were visitors.

Sunday School Teachers Met.

The Sunday school teachers of the Baptist church met at the church in a business and social session Thursday evening. Following a luncheon at 6 o'clock plans for future work were discussed by Superintendent Anderson Craig, Miss Ada Albert, superintendent of primary department; Mrs. Ed McDonald, Rev. L. M. Hale, Prof. B. F. Duncan, W. M. Westbrook and Herman Hull.

Those in attendance were Senator and Mrs. Craig, Rev. and Mrs. Hale, Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Holmes, Mrs. McDonald, Mrs. L. P. James, Misses Helen Burris, Burk, Hazel Everhart, Lucile Holmes, Maggie Allen, Mollie and Lou Henderson, Julia Denny, Ada Albert, Blanche Welch, Katherine Helwig, Mabel Hunt, Prof. Duncan, Herman Hull, W. A. Burris and Mr. Westbrook.

FOR COLORED CELEBRATION.

W. F. Vernon of Jackson, Miss., Formerly Registrar of Treasury, to Be the Speaker.

On August 5, 1914, the colored citizens of Maryville will celebrate Emancipation day and will have W. F. Vernon of Jackson, Miss., formerly registrar of the treasury, as the main speaker. Miss Lola F. Brown of Baltimore, Md., will give an address.

The following are the committee: President, Rev. P. Thomas; vice president, F. L. Schoolin; secretary, O. R. Vance; assistant secretary, J. M. Palmer; treasurer, B. F. Smart; chaplain, Rev. P. Thomas; financial committee, Rev. P. Thomas, B. F. Smart and Geo. Ousley; committee on arrangements, Harley Page, W. M. Palmer and Babe White; flag bearer, Jack Fleener; marshal of the day, John McGeehee.

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Eighth Grade Exercises.

Following is the program for the graduating exercises of the eighth grade of the Parnell school, which will be held at the M. E. church Monday afternoon, May 26:

Song by class, "Welcome."
Class history—Ethel Pope.
Instrumental duet—Marie and Anna O'Day.

Recitation—Helen Welch.
Song—By eight girls.
Recitation—Mabel Logan.
Cornet solo—Horace Felton.
Class poem—Bernice Brummet.
Reading—Mildred Hall.
Vocal solo—Quete Morgan.
Class prophecy—Rosie Waldeier.
Instrumental solo—Evelyn Batt.
Valedictory—Louie Harris.
Instrumental duet, violin and cornet—Inez Hall and Horace Felton.
Recitation—Mertie Hutchison.
Class song—Farewell.
Presentation of diplomas—Supt. W. M. Oakerson.

Below is a list of the graduates: Mabel Logan, Bernice Brummet, Rosie Waldeier, Ethel Pope, Marie O'Day, Anna O'Day, Helen Welch, Martha Pope, Evelyn Batt, Mildred Hall, Quete Morgan, Willie Boedecker, Margie Mayfield, Louie Harris, Mary Sisson, Emma Cooper, Horace Felton, Mertie Hutchison.

A Creditable Performance.

The second performance of "Mistress Mary," the pastoral opera by Miss Margaret R. Martin, was given Thursday night at the Empire theater under the auspices of the Twentieth Century club. Features of the opera were the performance of the trained lambs, the frog orchestra, ballet of the will o' the wisps, and fantastic tripping of the wood sprites.

The cast included over one hundred young people, among the leaders of whom were: Mistress Mary, Miss Hazel Smith; Betty Blue, Miss Margaret Chilton; Merrile Bell, Miss Amy Clark; Maud Blue, Mrs. Clyde Bushy; Silverwings, Miss Doris Goforth; Boy Blue, Harold Staples; Tom, Dick and Harry, Misses Ada Clayton, Katherine Carpenter and Gertrude Wright; The Guardian, H. J. Becker; The Country Postman, No. 23, Paul Thompson; Tony, Vern Pickens.

Sunday will be a big day at the Christian church in Ravenwood. Rev. J. Arthur Dillinger of Blocton, La., will preach the memorial sermon at 11 a. m., and his subject will be "The Unpaid Debt." The annual basket dinner will take place at noon. Rev. Dillinger will preach again at 2:30 o'clock and in the evening at 8. Rev. C. J. Miller of Greeley, Col., formerly pastor of the Christian church of Maryville, will deliver an address on "Mushrooms and Oaks."

CHARLES S. MELLEN.

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SUN IN ECLIPSE.

Moon to Cause Phenomenon Next August—Europe to Get Benefit.

The eclipse of the sun on August 21 next—total in part of Europe and Asia and partial in northeastern America—is attracting the widespread attention of astronomers and scientists, various expeditions being arranged to witness this phenomenon. In view of the public interest in the event, Prof. C. G. Abbott, head of the astronomical branch of the Smithsonian institution, and a recognized authority on solar phenomena, gives the following popular account of the eclipse, and the scientific results sought from such events.

On August 21, 1914, the moon will pass exactly between the earth and the sun, and there will be a total solar eclipse. It will not be observed in America, except as a small partial eclipse at sunrise in the northern states and Canada, but in Persia, Russia and Scandinavia the full effect will be seen.

Although the moon looks about the size as the sun, it is very much smaller and nearer. The sun is 865,000 miles in diameter and 93,000,000 miles away, while the moon is 2,163 miles in diameter and 239,000 miles away. On account of the moon's small size compared with the sun the shadow cast by the moon is a cone, and the point of this cone just barely reaches the earth.

In the August eclipse the diameter of the cone at the earth's surface is only about 85 miles, so that the eclipse is visible as total only in a belt about

85 miles wide stretching over the countries named above. The important cities of Bitlis, Trebizond, Kief, Minsk and Riga lie near the center of this belt. It passes about a hundred miles north of the Stockholm and Trondheim. The eclipse will be seen as partial over a very wide area, including northeastern America, Greenland, Europe, half of Asia, and half of Africa. Within this region only a portion of the sun's disk will be hidden by the moon.

Wherever the solar eclipse is seen as total, the sky will become nearly as dark as full moonlight, and a few of the brighter stars and planets may be seen. The duration of the totality is longest near Kief in Russia, where it is 2 minutes 13 seconds.

Memorial and Decoration Services.

Memorial sermon at Quitman May 24, at the M. E. church by Rev. D. L. Burger, at 11 a. m. Decoration day, May 30. Program: People will gather at the Christian church with flowers and arrange to march to the cemetery at 10:30 a. m., to decorate the graves. Dinner will be served by the Cemetery association for the benefit of the cemetery fund at the Woodmen hall. Everybody is urged to come and bring well filled baskets, enjoy the day and have a good dinner. Help the good cause along. At 1:30 the Cemetery association will meet at I. O. O. F. hall for election of officers. At 2:30 Rev. W. B. Christy of Maryville will deliver the address at the Christian church.

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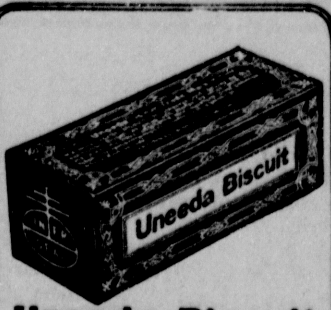
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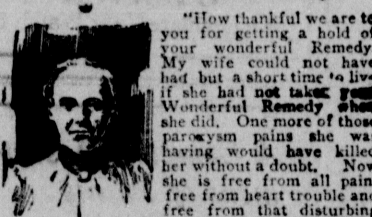
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BECKER CASE IN HANDS OF JURY

Judge Seabury Delivers Charge and Verdict Expected Soon.

ARGUMENTS ARE PRESENTED.

Chief Counsel for Defense Makes Bitter Attack on Plitt, Former Friend, Press Agent and Adviser of Defendant—Whitman Attacks Motive.

New York, May 22.—The jury which is to determine whether Charles Becker conceived the plot that resulted in the murder of Herman Rosenthal, the gambler, now has the case in its hands. Judge Seabury charged the jury this morning.

Martin T. Manton, Becker's chief counsel, in his address to the jury, said eight honest men have testified that Becker was not at the "Harlem conference" and asked the jury to believe them.

Manton then went into Rose's testimony regarding the first talk he had with Becker about investing money in Rosenthal's gambling house.

The attorney then pointed out a number of discrepancies between Rose's testimony regarding the gambling house run by Rosenthal and the affidavit he caused to be published in a morning newspaper.

Mr. Manton asked the jury not to overlook the fact that Webber and Valon had quarreled with Rosenthal.

Manton made a bitter attack on Plitt, Becker's former press agent, friend and adviser. Manton said it was a question of veracity between Plitt, a man who has been under indictment for murder and perjury, and deputy sheriffs in charge of Becker at that time.

District Attorney Whitman attacked the motive presented by the defense for the slaying of Rosenthal—that the gambler died in a war among gamblers. It was not a gambler who died, but a state's witness, said the prosecutor, and no testimony has been presented to indicate anything else than that Rosenthal was killed because he was about to be such a witness. If Becker was not the murderer, declared Whitman, then he (the prosecutor) could not see what motive there could be behind the killing.

The crime itself Mr. Whitman characterized as more than murder—"a defiance to our American institutions, a challenge to our very civilization itself."

UPROAR IN COMMONS

Tories Raise Rough House to Halt Home Rule Bill.

London, May 22.—The Irish home rule bill entered on its last stage in the house of commons. The vote on the third reading of the measure is to be taken on May 26, after which, if it passes, it will become law.

Premier Asquith declined to state the terms of the proposed amending bill and reiterated that the government was prepared to consider sympathetically any suggestions which might render its proposals in regard to Ulster more acceptable.

Immediately after the vote had been taken the Unionists started the refrain "Adjourn, adjourn." The uproar was long and loud. The speaker finally rose and asked A. Bonar Law, the leader of the opposition, whether he assented in the demonstration.

Amid shouts of his supporters of "Don't answer," Mr. Law refused to reply and the speaker declared the sitting suspended, saying there was nothing else he could do, as Mr. Law declined to assist in maintaining order.

Premier Asquith and his colleagues in the cabinet, who remained in their seats, were fiercely assailed with abusive epithets by the opposition, to which the ministerialists replied with cheers and waving of handkerchiefs.

The sitting of the house of commons was suspended until morning in consequence of the persistent disorderliness of the opposition members, who thus succeeded in forcing an adjournment, the motion for which had just been defeated by a vote of 286 to 176.

Forest Fire Destroys Town.

Tacoma, Wash., May 22.—A special from Lebam, Wash., says that a loss of \$250,000 was sustained in a forest fire that practically wiped out the business district and a number of residences of the town.

BASEBALL RESULTS

Federal League.

Indianapolis, 5; Buffalo, 6.
Chicago, 2; Baltimore, 8.
Kansas City, 8; Brooklyn, 2.
St. Louis, 5; Pittsburgh, 10.

American League.

St. Louis, 4; Washington, 5.
Detroit, 6; Philadelphia, 4.
Cleveland, 2; New York, 5.
Chicago, 5; Boston, 2.

National League.

Philadelphia, 2; Pittsburgh, 6.
Brooklyn, 4; Cincinnati, 8.
Boston, 3; Chicago, 1.

Western League.

Denver, 6; Des Moines, 1.
Lincoln, 5; St. Joseph, 9.
Topeka, 9; Omaha, 3.

Nebraska State League.

Hastings, 6; Columbus, 2.
York, 3; Norfolk, 1.
Beatrice, 9; Grand Island, 1.
Superior, 7; Kearney, 4.

ROOSEVELT TOUR IS MAPPED OUT

T. R. Wires Johnson He Will Stump California for Him.

Oyster Bay, N. Y., May 22.—The most important political conference in which Colonel Roosevelt has participated since the close of the campaign of 1913 was held at Sagamore Hill. It brought together representatives of New York, Pennsylvania and Ohio, in which states the colonel probably will do his hardest fighting this fall.

It was decided definitely that the tentative plans for Colonel Roosevelt's campaign trip from the Atlantic to the Pacific should be adopted. This tour probably will take the former president into almost every state of the union.

This decision was reached when Colonel Roosevelt sent word to Governor Hiram Johnson of California, his running mate in 1912, that he was going to California next fall to stump the state for him in his campaign for re-election.

After Colonel Roosevelt had talked with the Progressive leaders he dictated a statement which was interpreted as indicating that in one state at least he will carry the fight into the ranks of the Republican party by appealing to its members to ignore their past affiliations and go with the Progressives. His statement was made with particular reference to the situation in Pennsylvania, where Senator Penrose is opposed in his fight for re-election by Mr. Pinchot.

"Crises come up," Colonel Roosevelt said, "when it is the duty of all good citizens to sink party differences and stand up against flagrant wrongdoings in public life or against policies fatal to the welfare of the nation at home and to the honor of the nation abroad. All good citizens should on such occasions stand together without regard to past party differences."

Three Boys Killed by Lightning.

Ord, Neb., May 22.—News reached here of the killing by lightning of three brothers named Crohulik, aged seventeen, fifteen and eleven, living on a farm near Ord. The boys were standing in the doorway of the barn, which was struck by lightning, and the three were instantly killed. The barn was burned, with several head of horses.

GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

Closing Quotations on the Chicago Board of Trade.

Chicago, May 22.—Closing prices: Wheat—May, 98½¢; July, 88½¢. Corn—May, 68½¢; July, 67½¢. Oats—May, 40½¢; July, 38½¢. Pork—July, \$20.17½; Sept., \$20.00. Lard—July, \$10.12½; Sept., \$10.30. Ribs—July, \$11.32½; Sept., \$11.42½. Chicago Cash Prices—No. 2 hard wheat, 99¢@1.00; No. 2 corn, 71¢@71½¢; No. 3 white oats, 40½¢@41½¢.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, May 22.—Cattle—Receipts, 3,000; steady to strong; beefs, \$7.40@9.30; western steers, \$7.10@8.10; stockers and feeders, \$6.40@8.55; cows and heifers, \$3.75@8.75; calves, \$7.50@10.75. Hogs—Receipts, 18,000; slow, weak to 5c lower; bulk of sales, \$8.45@8.55; light, \$8.35@8.55; heavy, \$8.15@8.65; rough, \$8.15@8.30; pigs, \$7.50@8.40. Sheep—Receipts, 12,000; steady; sheep, \$5.30@6.20; yearlings, \$6.15@7.20; lambs, \$6.30@8.45; spring lambs, \$6.75@9.50.

South Omaha Live Stock.

South Omaha, May 22.—Cattle—Receipts, 1,600; steady to stronger; beef steers, \$7.15@9.00; cows and heifers, \$4.70@8.55; stockers and feeders, \$4.00@8.10; bulls, \$5.55@7.35; calves, \$7.00@11.00. Hogs—Receipts, 11,000; shade higher; bulk of sales, \$8.25@8.25; top, \$8.30. Sheep—Receipts, 3,200; 5c higher; lambs, \$7.50@9.40; wethers, \$5.50@6.00; ewes, \$5.25@5.85.

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Miss Winifred Carpenter of this city has been re-elected as one of the teachers of the Bethany schools.

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YEARLINGS SELL AT \$8.75.

J. L. Hepburn Markets Drove of Choice Hereford Steers and Heifers.

James L. Hepburn, a prominent farmer, feeder and breeder and a big land owner of Nodaway county, topped the market yesterday at South St. Joseph for yearling cattle with a load of choice Herefords of his own raising and feeding that brought \$8.75, says the Stock Yards Journal. There were 19 head of mixed steers and heifers in the lot, weighing 964 pounds on an average. All of these cattle were purebreds from Mr. Hepburn's herd of Hereford cattle. The load included four sets of twins.

Mr. Hepburn started raising pure bred Herefords nearly a quarter of a century ago. For a number of years he sold most of his cattle for feeding purposes. Of late years, however, he has turned his attention mostly to utility breeding. While he continues to sell some of his animals for breeding purposes, he is principally in the business now of raising cattle for the market. This, he says, he finds more profitable than breeding for show purposes and selling the product of his herd for fancy breeding uses. This does not mean that Mr. Hepburn has lost faith in pure bred live stock. On the contrary it is his conviction after a long experience that the utility breeder should have pure bred stock as the foundation for his efforts.

For fifteen years Mr. Hepburn has fed out at least one load of cattle for the market each year. Every load he has shipped here, and by a coincidence on each occasion, Swift & Co. have been the purchasers of his cattle from the time he first began shipping to St. Joseph, the year the present stock yards were erected.

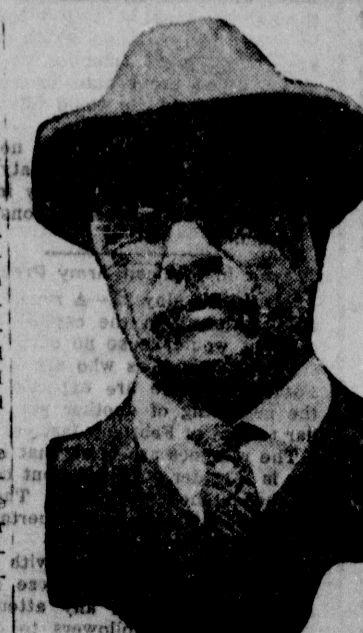
Mr. Hepburn says that wheat fields in his section of Nodaway county are badly infected with the Hessian fly in the larvae and grub stage. Many of the worst infected tracts are being plowed up and put in corn.

"A few fields will possibly make fair yields of wheat," Mr. Hepburn said. "But in many others the crop has been hurt beyond hope of saving. This is regrettable as there was an extensive acreage in wheat. This fly visitation will doubtless check wheat raising in our section. I recall that in 1875-76 wheat was practically ruined by the flies. Farmers dropped wheat culture after that and there was little wheat raised up to a few years ago. Two or three good paying wheat crops resulted in a big increase in the wheat acreage this year. The years 1875-76 were trying ones for the farmers of northwest Missouri. In addition to the fly we were troubled with chinch bugs and grasshoppers. It was hard to tell which of the three pests did the greatest damage to the crops."

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as a sure paying crop. It may be all right for one who lives close to town where the cost of hauling the grain is not so great, but for farmers out, say six or eight miles from town, it is not generally a profitable crop. At least there are others that pay better, I think. For myself I prefer to raise corn and hogs and cattle."

Elmo Defeats Bloomers.

The Elmo base ball team defeated the Nebraska Bloomers Thursday afternoon in a well played game by a score of 6 to 5. A crowd of near 500 people saw the game. The batteries were Moss and Sewell, Elmo; Smith and Collins, Bloomers.

Quarterly Meeting.

Next Sunday, at the A. M. E. church, Rev. M. S. Bryant, presiding elder of the St. Joseph district, will preach morning and evening. Sacramental service at 3 p. m.

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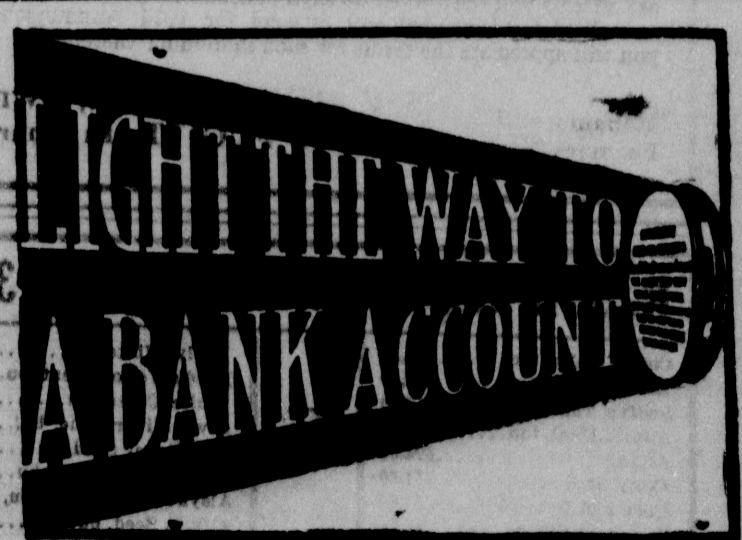
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The Ravenwood Gazette was enlarged from a five-column to a six-column, all home print, last week. The Gazette is one of the best local papers in the county.

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James Mess barger of Burlington Junction was in town Thursday afternoon.

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Meat Meal, cwt.....\$4.00
Blood Meal, cwt.....\$4.00
Beef scrap, cwt.....\$4.00
Egg Force, bottle.....\$2.00

Millet Seed.....\$1.50
Cane Seed, Amber.....\$1.75
Cane Seed, Orange.....\$2.00
Cow Peas Seed.....\$2.50
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Kaffir Corn Feed.....\$1.50
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South American Mediators Go Into
Conference on Receipt of News and
Are Later Joined by Huerta Representatives—First Steps Are Taken.

Niagara Falls, Ont., May 22.—Immediately after the receipt of press dispatches from Washington telling of the intention of the constitutionalists to send a representative here the three mediators who are endeavoring to settle the Mexican problem went into informal conference to discuss the new development.

The Huerta delegates, who also had been unofficially informed of the constitutionalists' intention to send a representative here, later joined the mediators in conference. They were in session early this morning.

The constitutionalists will send a representative here with the distinct understanding that he is to give information as to General Carranza's purposes, without committing the constitutionalists to any plan for the pacification of Mexico that the mediators may determine upon.

Jose Vasconcelos, now at Montreal on a financial mission for General Carranza, is understood to be the man chosen to send here.

The question of taking this step has been the subject of several informal conferences between representatives of the constitutionalists and of the Washington administration recently, and it is understood that General Carranza has given his consent.

It was reported on apparently reliable authority that another invitation may be sent to Carranza by the mediators to take formal part in the mediation proceedings.

First Steps Are Taken.

The mediators let it be known that the first steps towards effecting an agreement between the United States and the Huerta government have met with success.

The points they will now seek to effect an agreement on are:

A definite understanding on the kind of provisional government to be established in Mexico City as a successor to the present regime.

A guarantee that agrarian and other internal reforms would be put into operation.

When these two questions are settled the mediators, it was said, propose to bring about an agreement between the United States and the Huerta government, expecting to obtain the acquiescence by the constitutionalists through separate negotiations.

"LAST DITCH" FRAY TO COME

If Report Saltillo Taken True, One
More Battle to End War.

Juarez, Mex., May 22.—One "last ditch" battle fought by the federals, with their backs against a wall, will conclude the present revolutionary movement in Mexico, if the news that Saltillo has been evacuated by the federal garrison is true, according to constitutional authorities here. The official news of the evacuation was brought here in a message from General Angeles, constitutional minister of war, to the local junta.

Queretaro, already twice famous as the spot where periods of unrest have been concluded in Mexico, is the place local officials declare will mark the end of the Huerta regime.

While the evacuation of Saltillo, if true, dealt a heavy blow to the federal arms, it will not serve to bring peace to Mexico, according to well informed constitutionalists. Few who have not mingled in the strife realize the bitterness which exists between the rival factions.

ROOT PLEADS FOR REPEAL

Urges Senate to Pass Bill Rescinding
Exemption Clause.

Washington, May 22.—Senator Elihu Root, who soon after the passage of the Panama canal act introduced a bill to repeal the provision which granted toll exemption to American coastwise ships, urged the senate to pass the pending bill, which would effect that result.

Senator Root declared the negotiators of the Hay-Pauncefote treaty never intended there should be any inequality of rates as between nations using the canal.

Revolt in Mexican Army Predicted.

Vera Cruz, May 22.—A revolt in the Mexican army in the capital at any moment would cause no surprise, according to refugees who arrived here. Foreigners there are expecting daily the beginning of another period similar to that of February last year.

The refugees assert all that is lacking is a leader with sufficient courage to head the movement. They say: treason against General Huerta is uttered boldly on the streets.

The capital is overrun with adherents of Carranza, and these appear anxious to forestall any attempt of Huerta and his followers to escape. All the cabinet officers and Huerta himself are kept under close watch.

The resignation of more members of the cabinet, including Querido Mo heno, is rumored as likely.

MELLEN SAYS HE FAVORS A MONOPOLY

Witness Advocates Federal Control
of Carriers.

Washington, May 22.—Charles S. Mellen, former president of the New Haven railroad, suggested to the interstate commerce commission absolute monopoly of transportation under government regulation and control as the solution of the American railroad problem.

"To get efficiency and economy," Mr. Mellen asserted, "there must be a monopoly; and that monopoly is certain to be the United States government."

A little later he remarked: "Every time a railroad official comes to Washington he has to take his hat off to some government official."

He told at length the story of his steamship transactions with Charles W. Morse. Concerning these, Mr. Mellen explained he felt it desirable to confer with Colonel Roosevelt, who then was president of the United States. He told Mr. Roosevelt that he had received an offer of \$20,000,000 from Morse for the New Haven steamship holdings and felt inclined to accept it, because the New Haven thus would be able to turn the property in to cash.

Mr. Roosevelt, he said, apparently was anxious that Morse should be checked in his ambition to acquire a monopoly of the steamship lines and urged Mr. Mellen not to sell.

Mr. Mellen said he was frankly apprehensive at that time of the enactment of a law by congress to prevent railroads from owning or controlling water lines, but was assured by Mr. Roosevelt that, so long as the law remained as it then was, the New Haven need have no fear about its water line holdings.

MILITANTS FIGHT POLICE

Women Armed With Sticks Try to
Break Through Cordon.

London, May 22.—Police broke up a large column of suffragette raiders, who were marching on Buckingham palace for the purpose of handing a petition to King George. When the women reached the top of Constitution hill the police dispersed them and arrested Mrs. Emmeline Pankhurst and several other leaders.

The skirmish between the police and the suffragettes was lively while it lasted. The women, who were armed with sticks, attempted to beat their way through the lines of patrolmen. They fought with vigor.

Several women were injured in the struggle. The raiders were finally driven back, but left Mrs. Pankhurst and a number of her lieutenants in the clutches of the police, while on the ground was a considerable collection of remnants of garments which had been torn off the women in the hand-to-hand fighting. The police also suffered casualties.

King George, watching them from a window of Buckingham palace, himself, was an interested spectator of the earlier movements for his protection.

Missouri Women Fight Fire.

Camden, Mo., May 22.—Women came to the rescue and saved a large part of the town from destruction when a dangerous fire started in the business section. Nearly all the men were out of town and the women, getting out the meager fire fighting equipment and forming bucket brigades, battled desperately with the flames.

Sloan Gives Protest of Corps.

Washington, May 22.—Congressman Sloan of the Fourth Nebraska district held the attention of the house in a brief speech, in which he presented a protest from the Zach Chandler Relief Corps of Aurora, in his district, against the proposed rearrangement of the stars in the American flag.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

CHICAGO.

Cattle—1,500. Market steady. Estimate tomorrow, 300.
Hogs—18,000. Market 5c lower; top, \$8.55. Estimate tomorrow, 10,000.
Sheep—9,000. Market steady.

KANSAS CITY.

Cattle—600. Market steady.
Hogs—4,000. Market weak; top, \$8.45.
Sheep—2,000. Market slow.

ST. JOSEPH.

Cattle—100. Market strong.
Hogs—4,000. Market weak; top, \$8.40.
Sheep—None. Market slow.

A great lesson tonight can be found in "The Whirl of Society" at the big tent tonight.

Elected a Principal.

At a meeting of the Clearmont school board, held last Friday evening, Prof. George W. Summerville of Princeton, Mo., was elected as principal of schools for next year. The other teachers will be chosen later.—Clearmont News.

If you fail to see "The Whirl of Society" at the big tent tonight you will regret it tomorrow, after your friends tell you how swell it was.

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

Farm Land Loans

FARM LOANS made at low rates of interest with most liberal terms as to payments on principal. If you are buying a farm and need part of the purchase money, or have a loan coming due, we shall be pleased to have you call upon us and get our terms.

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Ryke Plumbing Co., formerly of Omaha. Hanamo 270. Up-to-date first class plumbing. South side square. 21-41

WANTED—Your lawn mower to sharpen. Armstrong foundry. 28-41

WANTED—Orders for Nu-Bone Corsets. Mrs. Anna Day. 14-11

FOR SALE—Yearling Shorthorn bull. Martin Gross & Sons. 16-22

FOR SALE—Fresh Jersey cow, on old Touhey place. A. Vogel. 21-23

IT'S CLEAN-UP TIME—See Dr. Becker for cleaning and pressing. The Clothes Doctor, at 209 1/2 North Main.

FOR SALE—S. C. R. I. Red's eggs at \$2.00 per 100. Mrs. J. A. Clark. Phone 37-13. R.R. No. 3. 21-23.

FOR SALE—Oakland 6 cylinder 60 H. P. automobile. Run but little. Good as new. W. C. Pierce. 20-26

LOST—Small black purse containing \$1 bill, some silver and pennies. Finder call this office. 21-23

FILMS DEVELOPED with loving care. J. E. Carpenter, maker of outdoor pictures. Phone 466. 11-11

STANDARD PLUMBING CO., permanently of Maryville. Honest plumbing at honest prices. Some worse, none better.

FOR SALE—Maryville house, located on East Third street, one block from square. Inquire John Kelly. 21-27

FOR SALE—5 beds, 3 carpets, 3 dressers, 2 dining tables, sideboard, bookcase, wardrobe, kitchen cabinet and safe, steel range, piano, child's bed, baby buggy, stand tables, study table, chairs, etc. Must sell this week. E. S. Cook, 222 E. Sixth. 18-22

WANTED, MEN TO LEARN THE BARBER TRADE—Be independent. Unlimited terms. Positions waiting. Our graduates qualified for best jobs. Wages while learning. Tools given. Catalogue mailed free. Moler Barber College, Kansas City, Mo.

All persons having rooms to rent to Normal students for the summer quarter, or anyone who will give board or room or both in exchange for work by students, please call Mrs. A. R. Perrin, Hanamo telephone 146.

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CONSERVATORY OF MUSIC AND NORMAL TO COMBINE.

TO BEGIN NEXT TERM

Grade Music Will Be Taught at Normal and Private Lessons at the Conservatory.

Beginning with the next term, the Maryville Conservatory of Music will be affiliated with the Normal school, and all credits received at the Conservatory will be accepted at the Normal, and all credits given at the Normal will be accepted at the Conservatory. An especially strong course in preparing students in the supervision of public school music will be given at the Conservatory, and a special supervisor's course will also be given, which will give a life certificate to teach in the state.

The Conservatory will remain in its present location and will maintain the same teachers. The grade music will be taught at the Normal and the private lessons at the Conservatory.

The baccalaureate sermon to the graduating class of the Conservatory will be held Sunday afternoon in the Normal auditorium to be delivered by Rev. Gilbert S. Cox. These services are also for the graduating class of the Normal school.

The Conservatory will hold their commencement exercises at the First M. E. church on Thursday night, May 28th. A fine program has been arranged and there are eight graduates in the class. They are Lida Ambrose, Margaret Bolin, Virdah Daniels, Hazel Everhart, Lucy Gee, Lois Harrison, Martha Koch and S. F. Spainhower.

The following is the program: Quartet, two pianos, overture, Barber of Seville, by Rossini—Misses Everhart, Koch, Daniels and Mr. Spainhower.

Duo, Concerto in D, Haydn—Misses Ambrose and Bolin.

Solo, Waltz in A flat, Moszkowsky—Mr. Spainhower.

Songs, Land of the Sky Blue Water, Cadman; Will o' the Wisp, Spross—Miss Marie A. Jones.

Duo, overture, Romeo and Juliette, Bellini—Misses Harrison and Gee.

Solo, Liebestraum in A flat, Liszt—Miss Everhart.

Duo, Finale from Concerto in C, Weber—Misses Koch and Daniels.

Songs, My Heart is Singing, San Souci; An Open Secret, Woodman—Miss Jones.

Quartet, two pianos, First Movement from Fifth Symphony, Beethoven—Misses Harrison, Gee, Ambrose and Bolin.

Post-graduate individual recitals will be given in the recital hall by Misses Grace Danner of Blanchard, Ia.; Fay Bishop, Ravenwood; Marie Reuillard, Maryville; Ora LeGrand, Clearmont, and Wilma Mills, Maitland. Miss Danner will give her recital on June 2nd, and the others will be given later. All are graduates of the Conservatory, with the exception of Miss Mills, who is a graduate of William Woods college of Fulton, Mo.

An Old Deed Recorded.

While Harvey Laughlin was attending school at Maryville he discovered that a piece of land owned by his father since 1869, had been recorded in 1870, as being owned by A. C. "McLaughlin." Just to make matters right and clear, "Squire Laughlin" had the same deed recorded, and this time with the "Mc" left off, as it was really written in the instrument, the error being made in 1870 by transcribing to the records.—Gulford Times.

A. Walk, who has been sick for several days, is reported in a serious condition.

GOOD PRICE FOR YEARLINGS.

J. A. Gex Markets Mixed Steers and Heifers at \$8.55 a Hundred.

John A. Gex, who owns a well improved farm in Nodaway county, was on the market today with forty-eight head of yearling steer and heifers of his own feeding that sold well. They averaged 787 pounds and sold at \$8.55.—St. Joseph Stock Journal.

WILL CHANGE LINE-UP.

Normal Team Meets Conception College Saturday Afternoon.

The Normal base ball team will play the Conception college team Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the Normal athletic field. The Normal will be greatly altered tomorrow, and it is thought that the new combination will strengthen the team. The line-up is as follows: McKee, catcher; Dyer, first base; Miller, second base; Bird, shortstop; Adams, third base; Noblett, left field; Brittain, center field; Long, right field; Ham, pitcher. This is the second game of the season with the Conception college team, the Normal winning the first one by a score of 7 to 0.

PREPARING INFESTED FIELDS.

For Corn, and What Prof. Cameron Has to Say On the Subject.

Prof. John E. Cameron, in charge of soil field No. 25 of the University of Missouri in co-operation with the Normal school, has this to say about preparing the infested wheat fields for corn:

"It would be better to put half the area in corn and raise a full crop than to put all in corn and raise but half a crop. The wrong and the right way to prepare the ground for corn:

"The wrong way is to plow under the wheat, harrow the ground and plant the corn.

"The right way is to pulverize the ground by disking before plowing, then the wheat is chopped, the crust is broken and when the furrow is turned the fine soil comes in contact with the bottom of the furrow, which enables the soil water to pass up to the surface, should the weather continue dry. After plowing disk again, harrow and plant with the furrow openers on the planter.

"Why all this extra work; you may ask. Turn under a mass of green matter that will not decay for several months and should the weather continue dry the corn when planted will fail to germinate. If rains come the corn will grow, but the small roots on reaching the coarse material at the bottom of the furrow will fail to come in contact with fine loose soil from which it should get its supply of moisture and mineral matter, and the result is a drawn plant.

"It would be economy in the end if the wheat crop has failed to plant only one-half as much corn and get fifty bushels per acre than to put the ground all in corn and raise only twenty-five bushels. Remember, it will take just as long to plow the corn after planting, and the cost of the crop will be just as great whether twenty-five or fifty bushels are raised, besides one-half of the land may produce a half crop of wheat or be left to put into some other paying crop. Plant all to corn, half preparing the soil and tending it, and it is bound to be a losing proposition."

Married by Judge Conn.

Burrell M. Pinckley and Elizabeth M. Wilson of Elmo were married today by Probate Judge W. H. Conn.

DELANO'S BAND IS 100 YEARS OLD

FORMERLY THE CHICAGO MARINE BAND—AT CHAUTAUQUA.

WEDNESDAY AUGUST 19 HERE 43 YEARS AGO

An "Out-of-the-Ordinary" Musical Attraction—Feature Number, "A Day On a Man-o'-War."

Delano's band, with Edward Jewett Delano as director, will appear at the Maryville Chautauqua on Wednesday, August 19th. This is one of the best musical organizations now touring the country. It was formerly the Chicago Marine band, familiarly known as "Delano's Bluejackets."

In August, 1905, Edward Jewett Delano was invited to come to Chicago to reorganize the band of the naval reserve stationed there. This band had, at one time, under the leadership of Thomas Preston Broowe, won considerable prestige, but since the resignation of that eminent musician, had retrograded under various incompetent bandmasters, and was finally mustered into service. Mr. Delano reorganized this band most successfully so that, in a remarkably short time it not only won back its lost prestige but gained new laurels.

For this work he was signally honored by being made a commissioned officer with the rank of ensign. With the exception of the leader of the Washington Marine band he is the only bandmaster in any branch of the United States service who has ever been honored with a commission.

Ensign Delano served on the training ship Dorothea and on the U. S. S. Nashville for six years, and in this time filled many important engagements in addition to his regular duty. His term as bandmaster may be called the high water mark of the musical affairs of the Illinois naval reserve.

In September Mr. Delano resigned from the national reserve, taking with him his entire band, with the purpose of devoting himself entirely to concert work.

In addition to the best of concert music he gives a most interesting and unique portrayal of naval life set to music, which embraces bugle calls, drills, flag signal work, and many other features of life aboard a warship. The above are embraced in his composition "A Day on a Man-o'-War," a feature number that takes forty-five minutes to perform, and holds an audience spellbound until the end of the grand finale, which is a variation on the "Star Spangled Banner," played to the thrilling accompaniment of volleys (Continued on page 2.)



DELANO'S BAND.

ISAAC PRICE OF BARNARD CELEBRATING THE OCCASION.

HERE 43 YEARS AGO

And Has Always Lived On the Same Farm—Cast His First Vote for Andrew Jackson for President.

Isaac Price, living two and a half miles southwest of Barnard, with his son, John Price, is celebrating his hundredth birthday anniversary today. The occasion was one of joy and a basket dinner in his honor was given by the Barnard Methodist church.

Mr. Price has lived on the farm near Barnard for forty-three years.

Mr. Price was born May 22, 1814, on Middle Island, Jughandle Mills, near Middlebourne, Tyler county, West Virginia. He is descended from Welsh parents of New Jersey stock, who were long-lived people. His father, who died in March, would have been ninety years old in June. At 3 years of age, with his parents he moved to Maryetta, Washington county, O., where he spent his childhood and youth, growing into a strong young manhood.

When 17 years old he went to live at Fallston, on Big Beaver river, near Pittsburg, Pa., where, as a helper in a shop, he learned the blacksmith trade, which occupation he followed until the spring of 1871, when he retired from active business life. Here he was married to Miss Prudence Gordon, to whom were born four children, none of whom are living. Western Pennsylvania and Ohio were then not much more than a wilderness. The mode of travel was by slow stages on foot, on horseback, by wagon, over the trails and unkept roads, or by water on the river. A man and his family could live on the game brought down by his trusty rifle or ensnared in traps of his own device. Pittsburg was but a small city, the great steel industry for which she is world famous yet undeveloped, the great wealth of forest, mine, oil and gas, with all their kindred industries were yet waiting the master hand of a Carnegie and a Rockefeller. The oil was gathered from the waters of little streams and pools where it was floating, and vended to unsuspecting, suffering humankind as a specific for rheumatism and cure for other diseases. After fifteen years he returned to his childhood home in Maryetta, O., where he resided about ten years, working at his trade.

At 42 years of age he moved to Owen county, about fifty miles from Indian-

apolis, Ind., where, his first wife having died, he was married to Miss Mary Ann Linn, to which union were born eight children. In this place he resided about fifteen years, when, with his family, he moved to the pleasant farm home in Nodaway county, Mo., two and a half miles southwest of Barnard, where he now resides with his son, John Price, the oldest child of his second wife, and the only survivor of the family of twelve children. Mrs. Price died April 11, 1904.

Mr. Price identified himself with the Democratic party in young manhood, casting his first ballot for Andrew Jackson in his second campaign for and election to the presidency. Although he has cast his ballot for each Democratic candidate from Jackson to the present administration, he has never seen a president. He is a man of splendid parts, having a remarkable memory of events of other years, and keeps himself well informed on current events by constant and wide reading. He is intelligent, wideawake and thoroughly interested in all the new and up-to-date methods of doing things. He may be seen on these bright spring days walking about the home grounds, sitting in the lawn swing or riding out with his son in their new automobile. His health is better this year than in many years previous. He looks strong and hale enough to live another decade. His friends join in wishing he may even do so.

Mr. Price is a Methodist, a splendid Christian gentleman. His kindly, gentle, sweet manner wins the respect and friendship of all whom he meets. Beginning at an early age, by honesty, frugality and industry, he has made his way through life, not even so much as the value of the paper upon which this is written given as an assistance. Just such citizens as he have made this the glorious country it is. May we always have them, for men of this type are the strength of the nation today, and the hope for the future. Only by such men as he can we perpetuate this government, a free and independent nation.

Here are our hands to you, our friend of a hundred summers and winters, and with all our hearts we greet you with best wishes and God bless you.

AT NORMAL ASSEMBLY.

Talks Made to Students by Rev. C. A. Finch of Topeka, Kan.; J. H. Banks and S. H. Kemp.

Rev. C. A. Finch, pastor of the First Christian church of Topeka, Kan.; J. H. Banks, state secretary of the Y. M. C. A., and S. H. Kemp made talks at the Normal school assembly this morning. All of the ministers of the city were also in attendance. Mr. Banks spoke of the Y. M. C. A. work in the state and gave a short history of it.

TRAINING SCHOOL TRACK MEET.

An Interesting Contest at the Normal School Track—Seventy-Five Entries.

The track meet of the training school of the Normal was held Thursday afternoon at the Normal track and the events given were very interesting and greatly enjoyed by a large audience. There were seventy-five entries, and the meet was in charge of L. M. Eek, Orlo Quinn, Lester Painter and Leo Kuhner. Some of the best records made were in the girls' base ball throw, 98 feet 5 inches; running high jump, 4 feet 3 inches; running broad jump, 14 feet 4 inches; pole vault, 7 feet 3 inches. The events given were: 100-yard dash for girls of 4th and 5th grades; running high jump for boys of 4th, 5th and 6th grades; running high jump for boys of 7th and 8th grades; sack race for boys of 2d and 3rd grades; base ball throw for girls of 4th, 5th and 6th grades; base ball throw for girls of 7th and 8th grades; relay race for boys and girls of 2d, 3rd and 4th grades; running broad jump for boys of 4th, 5th and 6th grades; running broad jump for boys of 7th and 8th grades; 50-yard dash for girls of 7th and 8th grades; 50-yard dash for boys of 4th, 5th and 6th grades; volley ball; skipping race; potato race; pole vault.

FOR A Y. M. C. A.

STATE SECRETARY BANKS IN CONFERENCE WITH COMMITTEE.

MANY HAVE AGREED

To Join the Association and Committee Now Working to Secure at Least 300.

It now looks as though a Y. M. C. A. is assured for Maryville. J. H. Banks, state secretary of the Y. M. C. A., came to Maryville Friday morning and at noon today was entertained at luncheon at the Elks club by the executive committee who are in charge of such an organization for this city. The members of the committee are S. H. Kemp, chairman; G. B. Roseberry, Roy Curfman, Floyd Brown, W. M. Westbrook, with W. R. Jackson as secretary. The Masonic committee was also at the conference. The members are J. F. Montgomery, Mayor U. S. Wright, C. C. Helmers and J. E. Bailey.

At the conference the feasibility of such an organization here was talked of and the plans were discussed. It met with the approval of Mr. Banks, and the state association will lend what assistance they can for such an association here.

Petitions were being circulated Friday by several to secure signers who are willing to become members of a Y. M. C. A.

These signers agree to pay \$12 a year as dues for a term of ten years, payment to be made quarterly, beginning with the completion of the building. The organization shall be incorporated and they shall use the first floor and basement of the new Masonic building, which is to be completed not later than June 1, 1915. The lease to the Y. M. C. A. will be for a period of ten years. The association will equip and maintain a gymnasium and swimming pool, reading rooms, all of which will be in charge of a paid secretary. The dues for members over 21 years will be \$12 a year. The committee is trying to secure 300 members that will pay that amount. Mr. Banks will speak at the meeting of the brotherhood to be held at the Christian church this evening. It is expected that he will talk along Y. M. C. A. lines. Rev. Charles A. Finch of Topeka, a brother of Rev. Robert L. Finch, pastor of the Christian church, will talk on the subject "The Measure of a Man."

MEMORIAL SERVICES SUNDAY.

Will Be Held at First Baptist Church at 3 o'clock and Sermon by Rev. L. M. Hale.

Memorial services will be held Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the First Baptist church and the Memorial sermon will be given by the pastor, Rev. L. M. Hale. The members of Sedgwick post, G. A. R., will attend in a body and are requested to meet in their lodge hall at 2:30 o'clock and march to the church.

CONN A CANDIDATE AGAIN.

Files His Declaration for Probate Judge on the Republican Ticket. Judge W. H. Conn, who has been probate judge for the past two terms, or eight years, has filed his declaration for that office again, subject to the action of the Republican primary, August 4.

For Rent.

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THE WEATHER

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vs.

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We are authorized to announce
L. P. COLVIN

as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Circuit Clerk, subject to the primary election August 4, 1914.

Call for Progressive Party Conference

By order of the County Central Committee of Nodaway County, Missouri, there will be a Conference of the members of the Progressive Party in this county at the court house in Maryville Saturday, May 23, 1914, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

The principal order of business at this meeting will be the arrangement for putting out a full county ticket this fall. Any other matter for the good of the party will be in order.

Hon. Raymond G. Jarrett, of Kansas City, will be present and will deliver an address, and we assure you that he is an able speaker, and one of the coming young men of our party.

All Nodaway county Progressives are earnestly requested to attend this meeting without fail.

Done this 16th day of May, 1914.

J. H. SEWELL,

Chairman County Central Committee,
E. P. ROBINSON,
Secretary.

ABOUT PRINCIPAL UTTER.

Trenton Paper Says He Has Proven One of the Strongest Teachers Ever Presided Over That School.

The following is from the Trenton Republican in regard to E. R. Utter, who has been selected as principal of the Maryville high school:

Mr. E. R. Utter, principal of the Trenton high school, today received word of his election to the office of principal of the high school at Maryville. The new position carries with it a salary of \$1,200 per year, and gives him charge of what is considered one of the best high schools in the northwest part of the state. Mr. Utter has not decided definitely whether or not he will accept, although it is altogether likely he will.

Mr. Utter has served two years as principal of the local high school, coming here from Drake university, where he graduated with high honors. During his service here he has proven one of the strongest principals that ever presided over the Trenton high school. The unanimous esteem in which he was held by the students was evidenced some time ago when petitions signed by practically the entire student body were submitted to the school board asking that he be chosen as superintendent. The board considered the petitions and three of the body, Messrs. Witten, Gibson and Proctor, were in favor of electing him. The others, however, opposed him, choosing rather to rename him as principal. Although Mr. Utter made no formal application for the superintendency here, he had delayed acceptance of any other offers, pending a decision by the Trenton board of education. However, the now feels that he should wait no longer and declares he is favorably considering accepting the Maryville position.

Card of Thanks.

We desire to extend our thanks to our friends, members of Sedgwick post, G. A. R., and Union Veteran Legion, and Mr. A. C. Gann, who so kindly assisted us at the burial of our husband and father, F. M. Cooper.

MRS. F. M. COOPER.

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DELANO'S BAND

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of musketry.

During this number the listener is to assume that a United States fleet has been caught by surprise in its own harbor, and that plans to dash out and give battle to the enemy have been perfected. Morning breaks—the seamen are kept at their usual routine until the appointed time, when suddenly decks are cleared, anchors are weighed, and the order "Full steam ahead" is given. A short but terrific engagement results in the complete rout, capture or destruction of the enemy, amid rejoicing on the American vessels.

The production when presented in the evening opens with the band silent on the darkened stage. Ardous signals (red and white lights) are flashing the cipher message "Prepare to attack at noon." The stage lights are gradually turned on and the band creeps softly into a morning scene, and so on until the battle is over.

The band also carries several vocal soloists with it, and promises Maryville Chautauqua goes one of the best musical treats which they have ever had the pleasure of listening to in years.

DEATH OF OTHO CLYMENS.

Young Man Passed Away Shortly After He Arrived Home—Had Been in Ill Health Some Time.

Otho Clymens, 18 years old, and a son of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Clymens, living west of Hopkins, died at his home Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock. He had been in ill health since last August and his death was due to tuberculosis.

Mr. Clymens had been taking treatment in Maryville for the past five weeks and was taken to his home, near Hopkins, Thursday afternoon, death occurring about ten minutes after he arrived home. His sister, Miss Clara Clymens, is a member of the graduating class of the Normal school, which will graduate next week.

The young man is survived by three brothers and three sisters, Bruce, Ernest and Joe, and Mrs. Cecil Proctor, Clara and Ruth Clymens, all of Hopkins. Funeral services will be held Saturday morning at 10 o'clock at the home, and burial will take place at Hopkins cemetery. The services will be conducted by Rev. McNamee of Hopkins.

Care Of Young Chicks.

Studies at the Missouri Agricultural Experiment Station warrant the following recommendations in regard to the care and feeding of young chicks:

During the first two days of the chick's life it should rest and be kept warm. It is better without having food until it is forty-eight hours old. Then the following mixture should be fed in dry litter and also in a shallow tray: 3 parts finely cracked wheat, 3 parts finely cracked corn, 1 part steel cut oats. Keep some of this in the litter all the time.

Chicks should have access to a clean drinking fountain which should be so constructed that they cannot get themselves wet. It is also desirable to give them access to sour skimmed milk or buttermilk. Twice daily the chicks should receive rolled oats or the following mixture: 3 parts bread crumbs, 3 parts corn bread, 1 part boiled egg. This mixture may be fed dry or it may be moistened with sour milk. A very small amount of charcoal and finely cut green food should also be fed.

Continue the mixture of wheat, corn and oats until the chicks are four weeks old changing gradually from the finer to more coarsely ground feed. Keep the following mixture in a box where chicks may run to it at all times: 30 parts wheat, 20 parts corn meal, 30 parts wheat middlings, 10 parts beef scrap, sifted fine and 1 part bone meal.

Keep fine charcoal and grit where chicks may have free access to it. Feed 4 times daily. Continue the green feed and give the chicks milk. It may be advisable to feed a wet mash once a day at 4 p. m. Feed only what the chicks will eat up clean before going to roost. Change gradually from chick food to cracked corn and wheat. Chicks that are not yarded should be fed corn and wheat in litter as a scratch food and should also have access to a dry mash in a hopper where they can help themselves.

THE REMAINDER of my household goods, including many useful articles, for sale at your own price. See them and make offer. Also want to lease house. E. S. Cook, 222 E. Sixth, 22-23

The rural commencement of Monroe township will be given in the opera house at Skidmore, Thursday, May 28, 1914. Special music by Maryville orchestra. Admission 10c.

Among Nodaway county patrons of Thursday's market were M. B. Sherlock, J. B. Nunnelle, J. S. Hepburn, Howard Wolverton, Rascoe & Eaton, and Buck & Son.—St. Joseph Stock Journal.

News of Society and Women's Clubs

Sigma Delta Chi Sorority.

Mrs. Bruce Montgomery, Miss Phyllis Saylor and Miss Nell Hudson will entertain the Sigma Delta Chi sorority at the home of Mrs. Montgomery Saturday evening.

One o'Clock Luncheon.

Mrs. Frank Ridgeway of Chanute, Kan., and Mrs. C. M. Chilton of St. Joseph were the guests of honor at a 1 o'clock luncheon which Mrs. J. R. Brink gave Friday at her home, 317 East Sixth street. The other guests were Mrs. J. B. Robinson, Mrs. W. C. Frank, Miss Lela Chilton, Miss Margaret Chilton and Miss Marie Brink.

The L. I. Club.

The L. I. club met at the home of Mrs. C. M. Pope, May 14, and the subject "The Legal Rights of Wives" were discussed. Roll call was answered with current events. After a short business session, several piano numbers were given by Miss Jennie Ringgold, which was followed by the serving of refreshments by the hostess. There were two visitors, Mrs. Ed Schooles and Mrs. Ernest Ingalls and children. The next meeting will be with Mrs. S. Florea, May 28.

To Give Rummage Sale.

A business meeting of the Ladies' Aid society of the First M. E. church was held Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Cooper Gooden. Mrs. J. C. Archer presided, and arrangements were made for the rummage sale which will be given next Thursday in the basement of the First M. E. church. The society also discussed plans for the annual bazaar next November. A social hour followed when refreshments were served by the hostesses, Mrs. Gooden, Mrs. J. L. Lorance and Mrs. I. W. Nixon, assisted by Mrs. Anna Stauble.

Entertained at Luncheon.

The seventh and eighth grade girls of the training school entertained with a yellow, green and white luncheon Friday in the domestic science lunch room of the Normal school. The guests were Mrs. A. R. Perrin, Miss Beatrix Winn, Miss Arlie Hulet, Miss Minnie Kennedy, Miss Verlinda Eichmiller and Miss Myrtle McPherran. The following excellent menu was served:

Mint Cup.

Green Peas on Toast.

Banana Salad. Cheese Straws.

Marshmallow Dessert.

Bonbons.

M. M. M. Club.

The fortnightly meeting of the M. M. M. club was held Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. C. Farrar. Names of noted men was the roll call response. A paper was read by Mrs. C. J. Eckert on "Music in the Home," which was followed by a select reading by Mrs. M. D. Kemp. Mrs. Edward Egley and Mrs. W. O. Garrett read papers on "The G. A. R." The members present were Mrs. W. T. Ramsey, Mrs. Eckert, Mrs. Kemp, Mrs. Egley and Mrs. George Stafford, and Mrs. R. S. Braniger, Mrs. R. C. Seal, Mrs. J. D. Ford, Mrs. L. D. Young and Miss Mildred Young of Quitman were visitors.

Sunday School Teachers Met.

The Sunday school teachers of the Baptist church met at the church in a business and social session Thursday evening. Following a luncheon at 6 o'clock plans for future work were discussed by Superintendent Anderson Craig, Miss Ada Albert, superintendent of primary department; Mrs. Ed McDonald, Rev. L. M. Hale, Prof. B. F. Duncan, W. M. Westbrook and Herman Hull.

Those in attendance were Senator and Mrs. Craig, Rev. and Mrs. Hale, Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Holmes, Mrs. McDonald, Mrs. L. P. James, Misses Helen Burris, Burk, Hazel Everhart, Lucile Holmes, Maggie Allen, Mollie and Lou Henderson, Julia Denny, Ada Albert, Blanche Welch, Katherine Helwig, Mabel Hunt, Prof. Duncan, Herman Hull, W. A. Burris and Mr. Westbrook.

FOR COLORED CELEBRATION.

W. F. Vernon of Jackson, Miss., Formerly Registrar of Treasury, to Be the Speaker.

On August 5, 1914, the colored citizens of Maryville will celebrate Emancipation day and will have W. F. Vernon of Jackson, Miss., formerly registrar of the treasury, as the main speaker. Miss Lola F. Brown of Baltimore, Md., will give an address.

The following are the committee: President, Rev. P. Thomas; vice president, F. L. Schoolin; secretary, O. R. Vance; assistant secretary, J. M. Palmer; treasurer, B. F. Smart; chaplain, Rev. P. Thomas; financial committee, Rev. P. Thomas, B. F. Smart and Geo. Ousley; committee on arrangements, Harley Page, W. M. Palmer and Babe White; flag bearer, Jack Floener; marshal of the day, John McGeehee.

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Eighth Grade Exercises.

Following is the program for the graduating exercises of the eighth grade of the Parnell school, which will be held at the M. E. church Monday afternoon, May 26:

Song by class, "Welcome."
Class history—Ethel Pope.
Instrumental duet—Marie and Anna O'Day.

Recitation—Helen Welch.
Song—By eight girls.
Recitation—Mabel Logan.
Cornet solo—Bernice Brummet.
Reading—Mildred Hall.
Vocal solo—Quete Morgan.
Class prophecy—Rosie Waldeier.
Instrumental solo—Eveline Batt.
Valedictory—Louie Harris.
Instrumental duet, violin and cornet—Inez Hall and Horace Felton.
Recitation—Mertie Hutchison.
Class song—Farewell.
Presentation of diplomas—Supt. W. M. Oakerson.

Below is a list of the graduates: Mabel Logan, Bernice Brummet, Rosie Waldeier, Ethel Pope, Marie O'Day, Anna O'Day, Helen Welch, Martha Pope, Eveline Batt, Mildred Hall, Quete Morgan, Willie Boedecker, Margie Mayfield, Louie Harris, Mary Sisson, Emma Cooper, Horace Felton, Mertie Hutchison.

A Creditable Performance.

The second performance of "Mistress Mary," the pastoral opera by Miss Margaret R. Martin, was given Thursday night at the Empire theater under the auspices of the Twentieth Century club. Features of the opera were the performance of the trained lambs, the frog orchestra, ballet of the will o' the wisps, and fantastic tripping of the wood sprites.

The cast included over one hundred young people, among the leaders of whom were: Mistress Mary, Miss Hazel Smith; Betty Blue, Miss Margaret Chilton; Merrie Bell, Miss Amy Clark; Mms. Blue, Mrs. Clyde Busby, Silverwings, Miss Doris Goforth; Boy Blue, Harold Staples; Tom, Dick and Harry, Misses Ada Clayton, Katherine Carpenter and Gertrude Wright; The Guardian, H. J. Becker; The Country Postman, No. 23, Paul Thompson; Tony, Vern Pickens.

Sunday will be a big day at the Christian church in Ravenwood. Rev. J. Arthur Dillinger of Blockton, Ia., will preach the memorial sermon at 11 a. m., and his subject will be "The Unpaid Debt." The annual basket dinner will take place at noon. Rev. Dillinger will preach again at 2:30 o'clock and in the evening at 8. Rev. C. J. Miller of Greeley, Col., formerly pastor of the Christian church of Maryville, will deliver an address on "Mushrooms and Oaks."

CHARLES S. MELLEN.

Former Head of the New Haven Testifying Before Commerce Commission.



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SUN IN ECLIPSE.

Moon to Cause Phenomenon Next August—Europe to Get Benefit.

The eclipse of the sun on August 21, next—total in part of Europe and Asia and partial in northeastern America—is attracting the widespread attention of astronomers and scientists, various expeditions being arranged to witness this phenomenon. In view of the public interest in the event, Prof. C. G. Abbott, head of the astronomical branch of the Smithsonian institution, and a recognized authority on solar phenomena, gives the following popular account of the eclipse, and the scientific results sought from such events.

On August 21, 1914, the moon will pass exactly between the earth and the sun, and there will be a total solar eclipse. It will not be observed in America, except as a small partial eclipse at sunrise in the northern states and Canada, but in Persia, Russia and Scandinavia the full effect will be seen.

Although the moon looks about the size as the sun, it is very much smaller and nearer. The sun is 865,000 miles in diameter and 93,000,000 miles away, while the moon is 2,163 miles in diameter and 239,000 miles away. On account of the moon's small size compared with the sun the shadow cast by the moon is a cone, and the point of this cone just barely reaches the earth.

In the August eclipse the diameter of the cone at the earth's surface is only about 85 miles, so that the eclipse is visible as total only in a belt about

85 miles wide stretching over the countries named above. The important cities of Bittis, Trebizond, Kief, Minsk and Riga lie near the center of this belt. It passes about a hundred miles north of the Stockholm and Trondheim. The eclipse will be seen as partial over a very wide area, including northeastern America, Greenland, Europe, half of Asia, and half of Africa. Within this region only a portion of the sun's disk will be hidden by the moon.

Wherever the solar eclipse is seen as total, the sky will become nearly as dark as full moonlight, and a few of the brighter stars and planets may be seen. The duration of the totality is longest near Kief in Russia, where it is 2 minutes 13 seconds.

Memorial and Decoration Services.

Memorial sermon at Quitman May 24, at the M. E. church by Rev. D. L. Burger, at 11 a. m. Decoration day, May 30. Program: People will gather at the Christian church with flowers and arrange to march to the cemetery at 10:30 a. m., to decorate the graves. Dinner will be served by the Cemetery association for the benefit of the cemetery fund at the Woodmen hall. Everybody is urged to come and bring well filled baskets, enjoy the day and have a good dinner. Help the good cause along. At 1:30 the Cemetery association will meet at I. O. O. F. hall for election of officers. At 2:30 Rev. W. B. Christy of Maryville will deliver the address at the Christian church.

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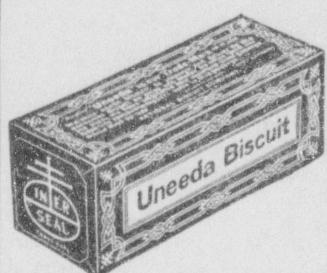
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BECKER CASE IN HANDS OF JURY

Judge Seabury Delivers Charge and Verdict Expected Soon.

ARGUMENTS ARE PRESENTED.

Chief Counsel for Defense Makes Bitter Attack on Plitt, Former Friend, Press Agent and Adviser of Defendant—Whitman Attacks Motive.

New York, May 22.—The jury which is to determine whether Charles Becker conceived the plot that resulted in the murder of Herman Rosenthal, the gambler, now has the case in its hands. Judge Seabury charged the jury this morning.

Martin T. Manton, Becker's chief counsel, in his address to the jury, said eight honest men have testified that Becker was not at the "Harlem conference" and asked the jury to believe them.

Manton then went into Rose's testimony regarding the first talk he had with Becker about investing money in Rosenthal's gambling house.

The attorney then pointed out a number of discrepancies between Rose's testimony regarding the gambling house run by Rosenthal and the affidavit he caused to be published in a morning newspaper.

Mr. Manton asked the jury not to overlook the fact that Webber and Valion had quarreled with Rosenthal.

Manton made a bitter attack on Plitt, Becker's former press agent, friend and adviser. Manton said it was a question of veracity between Plitt, a man who has been under indictment for murder and perjury, and deputy sheriffs in charge of Becker at that time.

District Attorney Whitman attacked the motive presented by the defense for the slaying of Rosenthal—that the gambler died in a war among gamblers. It was not a gambler who died but a state's witness, said the prosecutor, and no testimony has been presented to indicate anything else than that Rosenthal was killed because he was about to be such a witness. If Becker was not the murderer, declared Whitman, then he (the prosecutor) could not see what motive there could be behind the killing.

The crime itself Mr. Whitman characterized as more than murder—"a defiance to our American institutions, a challenge to our very civilization itself."

UPROAR IN COMMONS

Tories Raise Rough House to Halt Home Rule Bill.

London, May 22.—The Irish home rule bill entered on its last stage in the house of commons. The vote on the third reading of the measure is to be taken on May 26, after which, if it passes, it will become law.

Premier Asquith declined to state the terms of the proposed amending bill and reiterated that the government was prepared to consider sympathetically any suggestions which might render its proposals in regard to Ulster more acceptable.

Immediately after the vote had been taken the Unionists started the refrain "Adjourn, adjourn." The uproar was long and loud. The speaker finally rose and asked A. Bonar Law, the leader of the opposition, whether he assented in the demonstration.

Amid shouts of his supporters of "Don't answer," Mr. Law refused to reply and the speaker declared the sitting suspended, saying there was nothing else he could do, as Mr. Law declined to assist in maintaining order.

Premier Asquith and his colleagues in the cabinet, who remained in their seats, were fiercely assailed with abusive epithets by the opposition, to which the ministerialists replied with cheers and waving of handkerchiefs.

The sitting of the house of commons was suspended until morning in consequence of the persistent disorderliness of the opposition members, who thus succeeded in forcing an adjournment, the motion for which had just been defeated by a vote of 286 to 176.

Forest Fire Destroys Town.

Tacoma, Wash., May 22.—A special from Lebam, Wash., says that a loss of \$250,000 was sustained in a forest fire that practically wiped out the business district and a number of residences of the town.

BASEBALL RESULTS

Federal League.
Indianapolis, 5; Buffalo, 6.
Chicago, 2; Baltimore, 8.
Kansas City, 8; Brooklyn, 2.
St. Louis, 5; Pittsburgh, 10.

American League.
St. Louis, 4; Washington, 5.
Detroit, 6; Philadelphia, 4.
Cleveland, 2; New York, 5.
Chicago, 5; Boston, 2.

National League.
Philadelphia, 2; Pittsburgh, 6.
Brooklyn, 4; Cincinnati, 8.
Boston, 3; Chicago, 1.
New York, 4; St. Louis, 8.

Western League.
Denver, 6; Des Moines, 1.
Lincoln, 5; St. Joseph, 9.
Topeka, 0; Omaha, 3.
Wichita, 2; Sioux City, 6.

Nebraska State League.
Hastings, 6; Columbus, 2.
York, 3; Norfolk, 1.
Beatrice, 0; Grand Island, 1.
Superior, 7; Kearney, 4.

ROOSEVELT TOUR IS MAPPED OUT

T. R. Wires Johnson He Will Stump California for Him.

Oyster Bay, N. Y., May 22.—The most important political conference in which Colonel Roosevelt has participated since the close of the campaign of 1913 was held at Sagamore Hill. It brought together representatives of New York, Pennsylvania and Ohio, in which states the colonel probably will do his hardest fighting this fall.

It was decided definitely that the tentative plans for Colonel Roosevelt's campaign trip from the Atlantic to the Pacific should be adopted. This tour probably will take the former president into almost every state of the union.

This decision was reached when Colonel Roosevelt sent word to Governor Hiram Johnson of California, his running mate in 1912, that he was going to California next fall to stump the state for him in his campaign for re-election.

After Colonel Roosevelt had talked with the Progressive leaders he dictated a statement which was interpreted as indicating that in one state at least he will carry the fight into the ranks of the Republican party by appealing to its members to ignore their past affiliations and go with the Progressives. His statement was made with particular reference to the situation in Pennsylvania, where Senator Penrose is opposed in his fight for re-election by Mr. Pinchot.

"Crises come up," Colonel Roosevelt said, "when it is the duty of all good citizens to sink party differences and stand up against flagrant wrongdoings in public life or against policies fatal to the welfare of the nation at home and to the honor of the nation abroad. All good citizens should on such occasions stand together without regard to past party differences."

Three Boys Killed by Lightning.

Ord, Neb., May 22.—News reached here of the killing by lightning of three brothers named Crouhull, aged seventeen, fifteen and eleven, living on a farm near Ord. The boys were standing in the doorway of the barn, which was struck by lightning, and the three were instantly killed. The barn was burned, with several head of horses.

GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

Closing Quotations on the Chicago Board of Trade.

Chicago, May 22.—Closing prices: Wheat—May, 98½¢; July, 88½¢. Corn—May, 68½¢; July, 67½¢. Oats—May, 40½¢; July, 38½¢. Pork—July, \$20.17½; Sept., \$20.00. Lard—July, \$10.12½; Sept., \$10.30. Ribs—July, \$11.32½; Sept., \$11.42½. Chicago Cash Prices—No. 2 hard wheat, 96¢@1.00; No. 2 corn, 71¢@71½¢; No. 3 white oats, 49½¢@41½¢.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, May 22.—Cattle—Receipts, 3,000; steady to strong; beefs, \$7.40@9.30; western steers, \$7.10@8.10; stockers and feeders, \$6.40@8.55; cows and heifers, \$3.75@8.75; calves, \$7.50@10.75. Hogs—Receipts, 18,000; slow; weak to 5c lower; bulk of sales, \$8.45@8.55; light, \$8.25@8.55; heavy, \$8.15@8.55; rough, \$8.15@8.30; pigs, \$7.50@8.40. Sheep—Receipts, 12,000; steady; sheep, \$5.30@6.20; yearlings, \$6.15@7.20; lambs, \$6.30@8.45; spring lambs, \$6.75@9.50.

South Omaha Live Stock.

South Omaha, May 22.—Cattle—Receipts, 1,400; steady to stronger; beef steers, \$7.15@9.00; cows and heifers, \$4.70@8.55; stockers and feeders, \$4.00@8.10; bulls, \$5.55@7.35; calves, \$7.00@11.00. Hogs—Receipts, 11,000; shade higher; bulk of sales, \$8.22½@8.25; top, \$8.30. Sheep—Receipts, 2,200; 5c higher; lambs, \$7.50@9.40; wethers, \$5.50@6.00; ewes, \$5.25@5.85.

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Miss Winifred Carpenter of this city has been re-elected as one of the teachers of the Bethany schools.

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Girls and women of all ages want to be beautiful and attractive, but unsightly, thin and lifeless hair destroys half the beauty of a pretty face.

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Parisian Sage supplies the hair with what is needed to make it soft, fluffy, thick and gloriously radiant. It is sold in fifty-cent bottles by T. J. Parle, and at all drug counters. Look for the trade mark—"The Girl with the Auburn Hair." Accept no other.

YEARLINGS SELL AT \$8.75.

J. L. Hepburn Markets Drove of Choice Hereford Steers and Heifers.

James L. Hepburn, a prominent farmer, feeder and breeder and a big land owner of Nodaway county, topped the market yesterday at South St. Joseph for yearling cattle with a load of choice Herefords of his own raising and feeding that brought \$8.75, says the Stock Yards Journal. There were 19 head of mixed steers and heifers in the lot, weighing 964 pounds on an average. All of these cattle were purebreds from Mr. Hepburn's herd of Hereford cattle. The load included four sets of twins.

Mr. Hepburn started raising pure bred Herefords nearly a quarter of a century ago. For a number of years he sold most of his cattle for feeding purposes. Of late years, however, he has turned his attention mostly to utility breeding. While he continues to sell some of his animals for breeding purposes, he is principally in the business now of raising cattle for the market. This, he says, he finds more profitable than breeding for show purposes and selling the product of his herd for fancy breeding uses. This does not mean that Mr. Hepburn has lost faith in pure bred live stock. On the contrary it is his conviction after a long experience that the utility breeder should have pure bred stock as the foundation for his efforts.

For fifteen years Mr. Hepburn has fed out at least one load of cattle for the market each year. Every load he has shipped here, and by a coincidence on each occasion, Swift & Co. have been the purchasers of his cattle from the time he first began shipping to St. Joseph, the year the present stock yards were erected.

Mr. Hepburn says that wheat fields in his section of Nodaway county are badly infected with the Hessian fly in the larvae and grub stage. Many of the worst infected tracts are being plowed up and put in corn.

"A few fields will possibly make fair yields of wheat," Mr. Hepburn said. "But in many others the crop has been hurt beyond hope of saving. This is regrettable as there was an extensive acreage in wheat. This fly visitation will doubtless check wheat raising in our section. I recall that in 1875-76 wheat was practically ruined by the flies. Farmers dropped wheat culture after that and there was little wheat raised up to a few years ago. Two or three good paying wheat crops resulted in a big increase in the wheat-acreage this year. The years 1875-76 were trying ones for the farmers of north-west Missouri. In addition to the fly we were troubled with chinch bugs and grasshoppers. It was hard to tell which of the three pests did the greatest damage to the crops.

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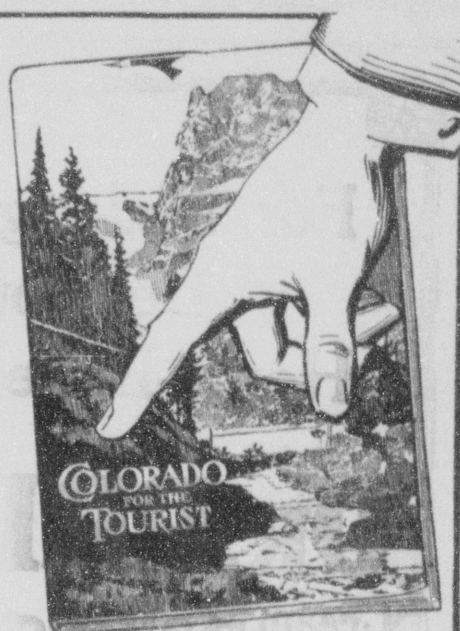
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as a sure paying crop. It may be all right for one who lives close to town where the cost of hauling the grain is not so great, but for farmers out, say six or eight miles from town, it is not generally a profitable crop. At least there are others that pay better, I think. For myself I prefer to raise corn and hogs and cattle."

Elmo Defeats Bloomers.

The Elmo base ball team defeated the Nebraska Bloomers Thursday afternoon in a well played game by a score of 6 to 5. A crowd of near 500 people saw the game. The batteries were Moss and Sewell, Elmo; Smith and Collins, Bloomers.

Quarterly Meeting.

Next Sunday, at the A. M. E. church, Rev. M. S. Bryant, presiding elder of the St. Joseph district, will preach morning and evening. Sacramental service at 3 p. m.

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FRECKLE-FACE

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Here's a chance, Miss Freckle-Face, to try a remedy for freckles with the guarantee of a reliable dealer that it will not cost you a penny unless it removes the freckles; while if it does give you a clear complexion the expense is trifling.

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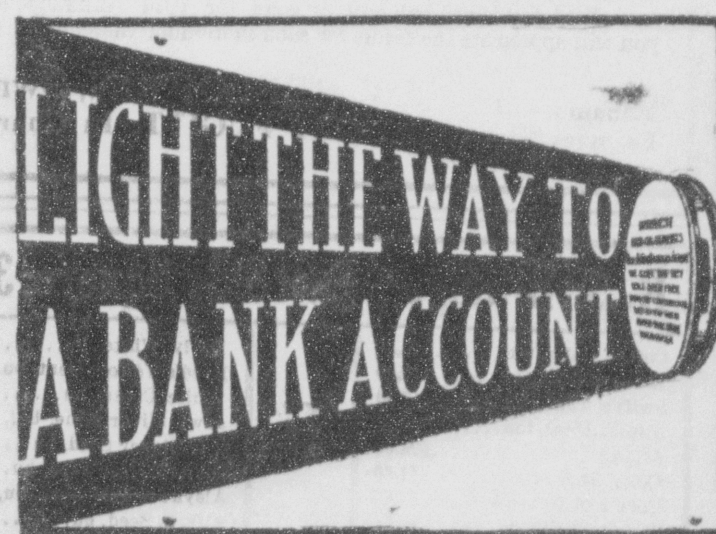
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The Ravenwood Gazette was enlarged from a five-column to a six-column, all home print, last week. The Gazette is one of the best local papers in the county.

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James Mess barger of Burlington Junction was in town Thursday afternoon.

A play that will live forever, "The Whirl of Society," at the big tent tonight.

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We have several prospective buyers for Northwest Missouri farms. If you wish to put your farm on the market, list it with us, we insure you fair courteous treatment.

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Millet Seed.....\$1.50
Cane Seed, Amber.....\$1.75
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Rape Seed.....\$4.00
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REBELS TO SEND A DELEGATE

Envoy Will Merely Give Views
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South American Mediators Go Into
Conference on Receipt of News and
Are Later Joined by Huerta Representatives—First Steps Are Taken.

Niagara Falls, Ont., May 22.—Immediately after the receipt of press dispatches from Washington telling of the intention of the constitutionalists to send a representative here the three mediators who are endeavoring to settle the Mexican problem went into informal conference to discuss the new development.

The Huerta delegates, who also had been unofficially informed of the constitutionalists' intention to send a representative here, later joined the mediators in conference. They were in session early this morning.

The constitutionalists will send a representative here with the distinct understanding that he is to give information as to General Carranza's purposes, without committing the constitutionalists to any plan for the pacification of Mexico that the mediators may determine upon.

Jose Vasconcelos, now at Montreal on a financial mission for General Carranza, is understood to be the man chosen to send here.

The question of taking this step has been the subject of several informal conferences between representatives of the constitutionalists and of the Washington administration recently, and it is understood that General Carranza has given his consent.

It was reported as apparently reliable authority that another invitation may be sent to Carranza by the mediators to take formal part in the mediation proceedings.

First Steps Are Taken.

The mediators let it be known that the first steps towards effecting an agreement between the United States and the Huerta government have met with success.

The points they will now seek to effect an agreement on are:

A definite understanding on the kind of provisional government to be established in Mexico City as a successor to the present regime.

A guarantee that agrarian and other internal reforms would be put into operation.

When these two questions are settled the mediators, it was said, propose to bring about an agreement between the United States and the Huerta government, expecting to obtain the acquiescence by the constitutionalists through separate negotiations.

"LAST DITCH" FRAY TO COME

If Report Saitillo Taken True, One
More Battle to End War.

Juarez, Mex., May 22.—One "last ditch" battle fought by the federalists, with their backs against a wall, will conclude the present revolutionary movement in Mexico, if the news that Saitillo has been evacuated by the federal garrison is true, according to constitutional authorities here. The official news of the evacuation was brought here in a message from General Angeles, constitutional minister of war, to the local junta.

Queretaro, already twice famous as the spot where periods of unrest have been concluded in Mexico, is the place local officials declare will mark the end of the Huerta regime.

While the evacuation of Saitillo, if true, dealt a heavy blow to the federal arms, it will not serve to bring peace to Mexico, according to well informed constitutionalists. Few who have not mingled in the strife realize the bitterness which exists between the rival factions.

ROOT PLEADS FOR REPEAL

Urges Senate to Pass Bill Rescinding
Exemption Clause.

Washington, May 22.—Senator Elihu Root, who soon after the passage of the Panama canal act introduced a bill to repeal the provision which granted toll exemption to American coastwise ships, urged the senate to pass the pending bill, which would effect that result.

Senator Root declared the negotiators of the Hay-Pauncefote treaty never intended there should be any inequality of rates as between nations using the canal.

Revolt in Mexican Army Predicted.

Vera Cruz, May 22.—A revolt in the Mexican army in the capital at any moment would cause no surprise, according to refugees who arrived here. Foreigners there are expecting daily the beginning of another period similar to that of February last year.

The refugees assert all that is lacking is a leader with sufficient courage to head the movement. They say: treason against General Huerta is uttered boldly on the streets.

The capital is overrun with adherents of Carranza, and these appear anxious to forestall any attempt of Huerta and his followers to escape. All the cabinet officers and Huerta himself are kept under close watch.

The resignation of more members of the cabinet, including Querido Mo heno, is rumored as likely.

MELLEN SAYS HE FAVORS A MONOPOLY

Witness Advocates Federal Control
of Carriers.

Washington, May 22.—Charles S. Mellen, former president of the New Haven railroad, suggested to the interstate commerce commission absolute monopoly of transportation under government regulation and control as the solution of the American railroad problem.

"To get efficiency and economy," Mr. Mellen asserted, "there must be a monopoly; and that monopoly is certain to be the United States government."

A little later he remarked: "Every time a railroad official comes to Washington he has to take his hat off to some government official."

He told at length the story of his steamship transactions with Charles W. Morse. Concerning these, Mr. Mellen explained he felt it desirable to confer with Colonel Roosevelt, who then was president of the United States. He told Mr. Roosevelt that he had received an offer of \$20,000,000 from Morse for the New Haven steamship holdings and felt inclined to accept it, because the New Haven thus would be able to turn the property in to cash.

Mr. Roosevelt, he said, apparently was anxious that Morse should be checked in his ambition to acquire a monopoly of the steamship lines and urged Mr. Mellen not to sell.

Mr. Mellen said he was frankly apprehensive at that time of the enactment of a law by congress to prevent railroads from owning or controlling water lines, but was assured by Mr. Roosevelt that, so long as the law remained as it then was, the New Haven need have no fear about its water line holdings.

MILITANTS FIGHT POLICE

Women Armed With Sticks Try to
Break Through Cordon.

London, May 22.—Police broke up a large column of suffragette raiders, who were marching on Buckingham palace for the purpose of handing a petition to King George. When the women reached the top of Constitution hill the police dispersed them and arrested Mrs. Esmeline Pankhurst and several other leaders.

The skirmish between the police and the suffragettes was lively while it lasted. The women, who were armed with sticks, attempted to beat their way through the lines of patrolmen. They fought with vigor.

Several women were injured in the struggle. The raiders were finally driven back, but left Mrs. Pankhurst and a number of her lieutenants in the clutches of the police, while on the ground was a considerable collection of remnants of garments which had been torn off the women in the hand-to-hand fighting. The police also suffered casualties.

King George, watching them from a window of Buckingham palace, himself, was an interested spectator of the earlier movements for his protection.

Missouri Women Fight Fire.

Camden, Mo., May 22.—Women came to the rescue and saved a large part of the town from destruction when a dangerous fire started in the business section. Nearly all the men were out of town and the women, getting out the meager fire fighting equipment and forming bucket brigades, battled desperately with the flames.

Sloan Gives Protest of Corps.

Washington, May 22.—Congressman Sloan of the Fourth Nebraska district held the attention of the house in a brief speech, in which he presented a protest from the Zach Chandler Relief Corps of Aurora, in his district, against the proposed rearrangement of the stars in the American flag.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

CHICAGO.

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Hogs—4,000. Market weak; top, \$8.45.
Sheep—2,000. Market slow.
ST. JOSEPH.
Cattle—100. Market strong.
Hogs—4,000. Market weak; top, \$8.40.
Sheep—None. Market slow.

A great lesson tonight can be found in "The Whirl of Society" at the big tent tonight.

Elected a Principal.

At a meeting of the Clearmont school board, held last Friday evening, Prof. George W. Summerville of Princeton, Mo., was elected as principal of schools for next year. The other teachers will be chosen later.—Clearmont News.

If you fail to see "The Whirl of Society" at the big tent tonight you will regret it tomorrow, after your friends tell you how swell it was.

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FOR SALE—Oakland 6 cylinder 60 H. P. automobile. Run but little. Good as new. W. C. Pierce. 20-26

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